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You are to answer a total of five problems. Work the first three problems and any two of the last three.

None of the problems require intricate mathematical manipulations. Several integrals are given on the last page that you might or might not find useful. Cartesian coordinate triples are always  $(x, y, z)$ .

Answer each of the first three problems.

#### Problem 1

At the point P given by the Cartesian coordinates  $(3, 4, 0)$  there exists two vectors:

$$\vec{A} = 2\vec{a}_x + 2\vec{a}_y + \vec{a}_z \text{ and } \vec{B} = -\vec{a}_x + 2\vec{a}_y + 2\vec{a}_z.$$

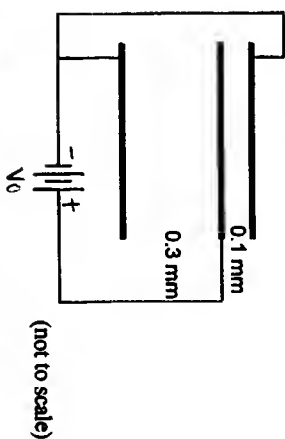
- Calculate  $\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B}$ .
- Calculate the angle between  $\vec{A}$  and  $\vec{B}$ .
- What is the point P in spherical coordinates?
- Convert vector  $\vec{A}$  to spherical coordinates.

#### Problem 2

A charge of  $10 \text{ nC}$  is placed at the origin. Charges of  $-5 \text{ nC}$  are placed at the Cartesian coordinates  $(0, 0, 1)$  and  $(0, 0, -1)$  (all measurements in meters). Determine the electric field vector at the point  $(1, 0, 1)$  in Cartesian coordinates.

#### Problem 3

A parallel plate capacitor consists of three plates  $10 \text{ cm}$  on a side (see diagram). The gap from the center plate to the upper plate is  $0.1 \text{ mm}$  and the gap to the lower plate is  $0.3 \text{ mm}$ . The outer plates are connected together by a wire and form one terminal and the center plate forms the other terminal. A voltage is connected across the terminals such that the total charge on the inner plate is  $+1 \text{ nC}$ . What are the charges on the other plates?



Answer any two of the following three problems.

#### Problem 4

A capacitor consists of two concentric metallic spherical shells of smaller radius  $r_1$  and larger radius  $r_2$ . The space between the shells is filled with an insulator with dielectric constant  $\epsilon_R$ .

- Determine a formula for the capacitance.
- (3) A charge of  $Q$  is placed on the inner shell and the outer shell is left uncharged. A wire is carefully inserted that shorts the inner shell to the outer shell. How does the charge  $Q$  redistribute between the two shells? That is how much charge flows to the outer shell and how much remains on the inner shell? Explain the reasoning behind your answer. (This part requires no calculations, only thinking).

#### Problem 5

Space is filled with a charge density  $\eta$  that varies with the distance from the  $z$  axis according to the formula (in cylindrical coordinates)

$$\eta = Ae^{-\rho}$$

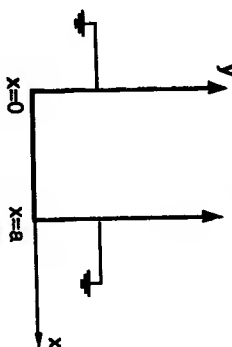
Note: the charge density is called  $\eta$  to avoid confusion with the radial coordinate  $\rho$ . Determine the electric field due to this space charge.

**Problem 6**

An open ended trough consists of three walls (see diagram). The walls at  $x = 0$  and  $x = a$  are metallic and extend to infinity in the  $xy$  direction. Both are grounded. The bottom of the trough at  $y = 0$  is specially designed such that the potential varies as a function of  $x$  (say by making it out of a resistive material and passing a current through it; the details are not important). The potential along this wall follows a sine function:

$$V(x, 0) = V_0 \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{a}x\right) \quad \text{for } 0 < x < a$$

All the walls extend infinitely far in the  $z$  direction. Determine the potential between the walls by solving Laplace's equation.



Some random integrals

$$\int e^{-x} dx = -e^{-x}$$

$$\int x e^{-x} dx = -(x+1)e^{-x}$$

$$\int x^2 e^{-x} dx = -(x^2 + 2x + 2)e^{-x}$$

$$\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} e^{-njx + jx \sin x} dx = J_n(z) \quad \text{where } J_n(z) \text{ is a Bessel function of the first kind}$$

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Answer five of the eight problems. You must do at least one of the transmission line problems (6, 7, 8). You must also do at least one of the magnetic field problems (3, 4).

All of the problems contain subparts; the subparts are weighted equally.

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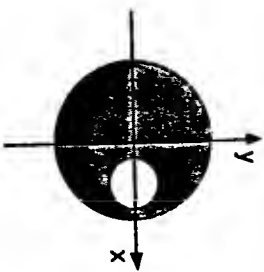
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### Problem 3

A cylindrical wire of radius  $a$  contains a cylindrical cavity of radius  $b$  offset from the center by a distance  $d$  (see illustration). The solid area of the wire carries a uniform current density  $\vec{J} = J_0 \hat{a}_z$ . Determine the magnetic field everywhere inside the cavity. To do this, use superposition—the current distribution can be thought of as a solid wire with current density  $\vec{J}$  superimposed on a smaller wire the size of the cavity with current density  $-\vec{J}$ . The solution has been broken down into the following steps.

- Determine the magnetic field inside a solid cylindrical wire with uniform current density  $\vec{J}$ .
- Convert the above expression for the field from cylindrical coordinates to Cartesian coordinates.
- Use the above result to write down the field for a solid wire with current density  $-\vec{J}$  of the shape and at the location of the cavity. Because the cavity is offset from the center you will have to modify the expression from b) in a simple way.
- Use the superposition principle to obtain the field in the cavity, i.e. add the fields from the big wire and small wire together.

Are you surprised by the result?



### Problem 1

Given the two vectors:  $\vec{A} = -\hat{a}_x + 2\hat{a}_y + 3\hat{a}_z$  and  $\vec{B} = \hat{a}_x + 3\hat{a}_y + \hat{a}_z$ .

- Calculate  $|\vec{A}|$ ,  $|\vec{B}|$ , and  $\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B}$ .
- Calculate the angle between  $\vec{A}$  and  $\vec{B}$ .
- Determine a unit vector perpendicular to both  $\vec{A}$  and  $\vec{B}$ .

### Problem 2

- A charge distribution expressed in cylindrical coordinates depends only on the variable  $\rho$ . What does that symmetry imply about the electric field due to this charge  $\vec{E}(\rho, \phi, z)$ ?
- Two parallel plate capacitors have identical dimensions but one is filled with a dielectric with  $\epsilon_R > 1$  and the other is not, i.e.  $\epsilon_R = 1$ . Both are attached to a battery and charged to the same voltage  $V$ . In which capacitor does the electric field have the greater magnitude? Which capacitor has the greater charge on the plates? For both answers, a correct explanation is required.

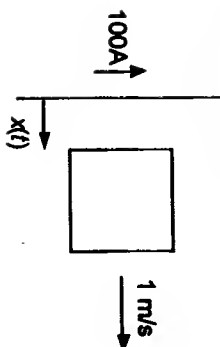
#### Problem 4

An infinite straight wire carries a current of 100 Amps.

a) What is the formula for the magnetic field due to this current?

b) A square loop of wire 50 cm on a side is oriented in the plane containing the straight wire with the nearest edge parallel to the wire (see illustration). What is the flux through the loop if the distance from the nearest edge to the straight wire is  $x$ ?

c) The loop has total resistance of  $10\Omega$ . The loop of wire starts with  $x(0) = 0$  and moves away from the straight wire at constant velocity of 1 m/s. Determine the current in the loop as a function of time.



#### Problem 5

An electromagnetic wave in free space has an electric field given by

$$\vec{E} = 100(\vec{a}_x + \vec{a}_y)e^{j(\omega t - kz)} \text{ V/m.}$$

a) Describe the polarization of the electromagnetic wave (i.e. the direction of the electric field).

b) Determine the magnetic field of the wave.

c) What is the average power density in the wave?

The next three problems are about transmission lines. You must do at least one of these three problems (or more if you wish). Since your text does not include all the transmission line equations, some additional equations are listed at the end.

#### Problem 6

a) The dielectric used in a coaxial cable has  $\epsilon_R = 2.5$  and  $\mu_R = 1$ . What is the velocity of propagation in the cable at high frequencies?

b) A transmission line has inductance  $0.2 \mu\text{H/m}$  and capacitance  $100 \text{ pF/m}$ . What is the characteristic impedance?

c) A  $50\Omega$  lossless transmission line has a velocity of propagation of  $2 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$ . What are  $L$  and  $C$ ?

#### Problem 7

A  $50\Omega$  transmission line is terminated with an open (i.e. no load).

a) What is the reflection coefficient at the load?

b) What is the input impedance if the line has length  $l$ ?

c) What length should the transmission line be such that the input impedance is equal to that of a  $50\text{pF}$  capacitor at  $100\text{MHz}$  (express the length in wavelengths)? ( $Z_C = 1/(j\omega C)$  but you knew that).

#### Problem 8

A step generator producing a 1 V step and with an internal impedance of  $50\Omega$  is connected to 2 m of  $150\Omega$  transmission line. The transmission line is terminated with a  $250\Omega$  load. The velocity of propagation in the transmission line is  $1 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$ .

a) What is the reflection coefficient at the load?

b) What is the reflection coefficient at the generator?

c) Draw a bounce diagram for 100 ns after the step is applied and label each bounce line with the height of the step.

d) Graph the voltage at the generator end of the transmission line as a function of time for the first 100 ns.

## Some potentially useful information

### Constants

$$\epsilon_0 = 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \text{ F/m}$$

$$\mu_0 = 4\pi \times 10^{-7} \text{ N/A}^2$$

### Transmission line equations.

$$\Gamma = \frac{Z_L - Z_0}{Z_L + Z_0}$$

$$Z_{in} = Z_0 \frac{Z_L + jZ_0 \tan \beta l}{Z_0 + jZ_L \tan \beta l} \quad l \geq 0$$

$$Z_{in} = Z_0 \frac{1 + \Gamma e^{-j2\beta l}}{1 - \Gamma e^{-j2\beta l}} \quad l \geq 0 \quad = -j3.83$$

$$\beta = 2\pi / \lambda$$

$$-j0.6366$$

Answer each of the first three problems.

### Problem 1

Given the electric field (in spherical coordinates)

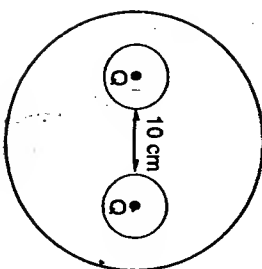
$$\vec{E} = Q \left( \frac{1}{r^2} - \left( \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{r} + \frac{1}{r^2} \right) e^{-r} \right) \vec{a}_r$$

- Calculate the charge density.
- Express the electric field vector at the point  $r = 1$ ,  $\theta = \pi/4$ ,  $\phi = \pi/4$  in Cartesian coordinates.

### Problem 2

A metal sphere has two spherical cavities inside it the same distance from the center; the illustration shows the sphere in cross section. The sphere has a diameter of 40 cm; the cavities have diameters 10 cm and are separated by 10 cm of metal as shown. The metal has no net charge. Into the center of each hollow is placed a charge  $Q$ . Determine

- The field inside the metal and inside the cavities. (5 points)
- The force that acts on each charge. (5 points)
- The field outside the metal sphere. (10 points)



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EE301 Electricity, Magnetism and Fields  
Midterm Examination  
Professor Robert E. Johanson

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Welcome to the EE301 Midterm. This is an open book examination. You may refer to your textbook (Hayt and Buck) but not to any other material such as notes or other books. You may also use a calculator. The examination lasts 2 hours.

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Final Examination  
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Welcome to the EE301 Final. This is an open book examination. You may refer to your textbook but not to any other material such as notes or other books. You may also use a calculator. The examination lasts 3 hours.

Answer six of the eight problems. Do not answer more than six problems or severe penalties will apply. You must do at least two of the transmission line problems (6, 7, 8). You must also do at least one of the magnetic field problems (3, 4).

Show your work; credit will be given only if the correct steps leading to the answer are clearly shown. If a symmetry argument is used, it is sufficient to write "By symmetry we know that...". Partial credit will be given for partially correct answers but only if correct intermediate steps are shown. Each problem is weighted equally although subparts of a problem might be worth varying amounts depending on difficulty.

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### Problem 3

A 1 nF capacitor is charged to 10 V.

a) How much energy is stored in the capacitor?

The capacitor is removed from the voltage source and then connected in parallel to an uncharged 2 nF capacitor.

b) What is the voltage across the capacitors?

c) What is the total energy stored in both capacitors?

d) What happened to the missing energy?

Answer any two of the following three problems.

### Problem 4

A charge of 10 nC is placed at the origin. Charges of -5 nC are placed at the Cartesian coordinates (0, 0, 1) and (0, 1, 0) (all measurements in meters). Determine the electric field vector at the point (1, 1, 1) in Cartesian coordinates.

### Problem 5

A dielectric sphere of radius  $a$  and relative dielectric constant  $\epsilon_r$  has embedded within it free charge with density given by (in spherical coordinates)

$$\rho = A(1 - r/a)$$

where  $A$  is a constant. Determine the electric field  $\vec{E}$ , the displacement field  $\vec{D}$ , and the polarization field  $\vec{P}$  inside the sphere.

### Problem 6

A parallel plate capacitor of area  $A$  and small plate separation  $d$  contains a dielectric between the plates. The dielectric constant varies linearly from  $\epsilon_1$  at the bottom plate to  $\epsilon_2$  at the upper plate. Solve for the electric field  $\vec{E}$  between the plates far from any edge when a voltage  $V$  is applied between the plates. Determine a formula for the capacitance.

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You might be interested to know that

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but probably not.



#### Problem 4

- A circular loop of wire has a current  $I$  flowing through it. The loop has radius  $a$ . Use the Law of Biot-Savart to determine the magnetic field at the center of the loop.
- A small circular loop of wire is now placed at the center of the above loop. The radius of the smaller loop is  $b$ , and  $b \ll a$ . The two loops lie in the same plane. If the current in the larger loop varies sinusoidally with time as  $I = I_0 \sin \omega t$ , determine an *approximate* expression for the induced current in the smaller loop. Such magnetically coupled loops are used in RFID smart card technology.

#### Problem 5

A survey team wants to use electromagnetic waves to detect buried metal objects. The idea is to broadcast a 200 MHz plane electromagnetic wave into the ground and detect any reflected wave. The receiving system can detect the reflected wave only if the electric field has an amplitude greater than 10 mV/cm. The conductivity of the soil is  $10^{-3}$  S/m, and  $\mu_r = 1$ . You may assume that the buried object acts like a perfect mirror reflecting all the power incident back towards the surface.

- What is the skin depth for the plane wave in the soil?
- What electric field amplitude of the transmitted electromagnetic wave is needed in order to detect objects buried 3 m deep?

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#### Problem 6

- A lossless transmission line has an inductance of  $0.5 \mu\text{H/m}$  and a capacitance of  $50 \text{ pF/m}$ . What is the characteristic impedance and the velocity of propagation?
- A cellular telephone antenna has an impedance of  $50 + j10 \Omega$  at 900 MHz. It is directly connected (i.e. no matching network) to a 2 m length of  $50 \Omega$  transmission line. What is the reflection coefficient of the antenna? What is the input impedance of the transmission line with the antenna connected? The velocity of propagation in the transmission line is  $2 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$ .

#### Problem 1

At the point  $P = (1, 1, 1)$  (in Cartesian coordinates) there are two vectors:

$$\vec{A} = -\vec{a}_x - \vec{a}_y - \vec{a}_z \quad \text{and} \quad \vec{B} = 2\vec{a}_x + 2\vec{a}_y - \vec{a}_z.$$

- Calculate  $|\vec{A}|$ ,  $|\vec{B}|$ , and  $\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B}$ .
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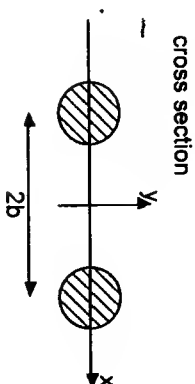
#### Problem 2

- A point charge of  $100 \mu\text{C}$  is located at the origin. What is the total electric flux passing through the plane parallel to the  $x-y$  plane but offset to  $z = 1$ ?
- A parallel plate capacitor uses  $15 \mu\text{m}$  thick mylar as a dielectric. Mylar has a relative permittivity of 3.2 and a dielectric strength of  $1.5 \times 10^6$  volts per cm. The dielectric strength is the maximum electric field that can exist in the dielectric without breakdown (breakdown would likely destroy the device). If the area of the plates is  $100 \text{ cm}^2$ , what is the maximum amount of energy that can be safely stored in the capacitor?

The next two problems are on static magnetic fields. You must do either problem 3 or problem 4 (or both if you wish).

#### Problem 3

Two infinitely long, straight wires each with radius  $a$  are parallel to each other and separated by a distance  $2b$  (see cross section below). A current  $I$  flows in each wire but in opposite directions. Determine an equation for the magnetic field everywhere along the  $x$ -axis (including inside the wires. You may assume the current density is uniform within the wires. (hint: use superposition))



Some potentially useful information

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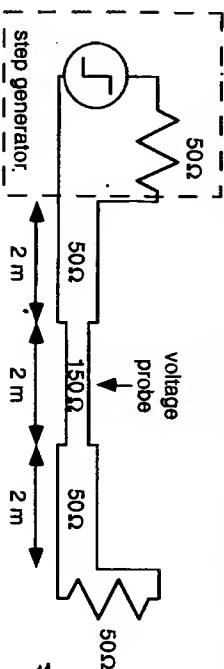
### Problem 7

An antenna with impedance  $20 + j100 \Omega$  receives a power feed over a  $75 \Omega$  transmission line. Design a matching scheme (you choose the type) so that no power is reflected from the antenna. Work out your matching scheme on the Smith chart.

### Problem 8

A step generator producing a 1 V step and with an internal impedance of  $50 \Omega$  is connected to a transmission line consisting of a 2 m length of  $50 \Omega$  line joined to a 2 m length of  $150 \Omega$  line that is then joined to another 2 m length of  $50 \Omega$  line (see diagram). The whole transmission line is terminated with a  $50 \Omega$  load. The velocity of propagation in the transmission line is  $1 \times 10^8$  m/s.

- Determine the reflection and transmission coefficients at each junction.
- Draw a bounce diagram for 100 ns after the step is applied and label each bounce line with the height of the step.
- Graph the voltage at the center of the  $150 \Omega$  line for 100 ns after the step is applied.
- What will the voltage eventually reach at this point after a long time?



# EE 331 Midterm Examination

October 21, 2002

- 2 Hours
- Open Book
- Two pages

1. 20 Marks (5 marks each)

(a) Describe the differences between these instruction sequences?

```
mov    R1, #80H
linc   081
```

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linc   80H
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(b) Briefly describe the 3 memory spaces provided by the 8731 architecture and explain how you would access data from each of these regions.

(c) Describe unsigned binary, two's complement numeric representation? What support does the 8731 architecture provide for performing the four basic arithmetic operations on single-byte values in these representations?

(d) Given that the first byte of the following instructions is at location 3F0H, what are the ranges of addresses which could be reached by each of the instructions?

```
ajmp   ALABEL,
ajmp   ALABEL,
ljmp   ALABEL,
```

2. 20 Marks (4 marks each) What will be the value of the accumulator, the carry bit, and the overflow bit after an 8051 executes each of the following instruction sequences? Note that some values may be indeterminate.

```
(a) c1e    C
mov     A, #70H
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ajlb    A, #022H
mov     A, #0F2H
```

```
rr      A
add     A, #0FFH
```

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(c) mov    A, #22H
cjne    A, #24H, 100
```

```
(d) mov    20H, #20H
```

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acall   1
```

```
mov     A, 20H
```

```
(e) c1e    78H
mov     0, #1
```

```
d1sz    R0, 70
mov     A, R0
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3. 20 Marks

Draw the schematic of a circuit to add 16 bytes of external program memory and 8 bytes of external data memory to an 87C31 system.

- All external memory devices should be 8Kx8.
- The addresses must be fully decoded but the only components available are inverters and 3-input NAND gates.
- The external program memory should appear at locations 8000H to BFFFH.
- The external data memory should appear at locations C000H to DFFFH.

4. 30 Marks

Write a simple "walking-1" memory-test subroutine for the above system.

(a) Write 00H to all external data memory locations.

(b) Write 01H to the first external data memory location.

(c) Verify that reading the first external data memory location returns 01H and that all other memory locations still contain 00H. If not, your subroutine should return with a value of 0 in the accumulator.

(d) Write 02H to the first external data memory location.

(e) Verify that reading the first external data memory location returns 02H and that all other memory locations still contain 00H. If not, your subroutine should return with a value of 0 in the accumulator.

(f) Repeat until all bits of the first external data memory location have been tested.

(g) Repeat from step (b) for all external data memory locations.

If the tests succeed your subroutine should return with a value of 1 in the accumulator. Your program should be adequately commented so that it can be readily understood. The purpose and location of all variables should be described.

Hint: Write a testHam subroutine which takes two arguments – the 16 bit value of the external memory address which should contain the non-zero value, and the 8 bit value which should be at that address.

5. 10 Marks

Write an 8051 assembly-language subroutine which multiplies two 8-bit, signed (two's complement) values and returns a 16-bit signed result. One argument is passed to the subroutine in the accumulator and other is passed to the subroutine in special function register B. The subroutine should return with the most-significant byte of the product in SFR B and the least-significant byte of the product in the accumulator.

Hint: Use the 87C31 MUL AB instruction to multiply the absolute value of the arguments then negate the product if required.

Bonus question (4 marks): Write your subroutine so that it uses no resource (as other than the accumulator, SFR B, and the processor status word).

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ADDR CODE LINE# SOURCE
0019 FF 57 MOV R7,A ; Remember new bit
001A 9401P5 58 CJNE A,R1,BITLOOP ; Loop till all bits have been tested
001B A3 59 INC DPTR ; Move pointer to next location
001C E583 60 MOV A,DPH ; Get high byte of pointer
001E 9480BP 61 CJMP A,[MEMBASE+MEMSIZE],BITLOOP ; Loop till all cleared
0021 7401 62 MOV A,R1 ; Success!
0022 22 63 DONEMEMORYTEST:
64 RET ; Return success/failure code
65
66 ; testMem subroutine
67
68 ; Arguments:
69 ; DPTR - location to test
70 ; R7 - value to test
71
72 ; Register assignments
73 ; R4 - Readback check value
74 ; R5 - Low byte of test location
75 ; R6 - High byte of test location
76
77 ; Return value
78 ; 0 - Failure
79 ; 1 - Success
80
81 ; test location <- test value
82 ; for all memory locations
83 ; if(location = test location)
84 ; readback check value = test value
85 ; else
86 ; readback check value = 0
87 ; if((test location) != readback check value)
88 ; return 0
89 ; return 1
90
91 ; TESTMEM:
92
93 ; Write test value into test location
94
95 ;
96 0024 2F 96 MOV A,R7 ; Get test value
97 0025 F0 97 MOVX @DPTR,A ; Store test value in test location
98
99 ;
100 ; Loop over all locations
101
102 0026 AD82 102 MOV R5,DPH ; Remember test location
103 0028 A8A3 103 MOV R6,DPH
104 002A 90C000 104 MOV DPTR,MEMBASE ; Start at beginning of memory
105
106 ; Determine readback check value
107
108 ;
109 002D 7C00 109 MOV R4,R0 ; Assume it's not the test location
110 002F ED 110 MOV A,R5 ; Skip if low bytes don't match
111 0030 B58206 111 CJNE A,DPH,MOTTESTLOC
112 0031 BE 112 MOV A,R6 ; Skip if high bytes don't match
113 0034 B58302 113 CJNE A,DPH,MOTTESTLOC
114 0037 EF 114 MOV A,R7 ; Test location == readback is test value

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ADDR.	CODE	LINE#	SOURCE
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		119	M.A.
		117	NOTHING!
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		119	/ Verify memory location
0039	EO	120	/
		121	NOVA
003A	IC	122	A,BEFT
003B	IC	123	A,M
003C	IC	124	WOOD
		125	/ test, skip
003D	YAO	126	/ No, we, error return value
		127	/ Return error status
003F	22	128	END
			MOOD:
0040	AJ	129	INC
0041	EB3	127	DPX
0042	EB3	128	/ More pointers to next location
0043	EB3	129	/ See high byte of pointer
0044	YAO	130	A,B(1000AB+HEND3)/ATTORC
			/ Loop till all cleared
0046	22	130	NOV
			/ Success
			/ Return success status

# BE 331 Midterm Examination

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- Two pages

## 1. 25 Marks (5 marks each)

(a) Describe the differences between this instruction

lnc A

and this instruction

add A, #1.

(b) Briefly describe the 87C51 immediate, direct and indirect addressing modes. Given an example of each. Which memory locations are accessible by these modes?

(c) Describe the binary Gray Code and it's applications.

(d) What will be the value of the accumulator, the carry bit, and the overflow bit after an 8051 executes each of the following instruction sequences? Note that some values may be indeterministic.

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I. clr C
   mov A, #70H
   subb A, #F2H
II. clr C
   mov A, #F2H
   subb A, #FFH
III. mov A, #22H
   cjne A, #20H
IV. mov A, #12H
   add A, #FFH
   inc A
   inc A

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(e) Describe the differences between the three versions of the jump instruction

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sjmp LABEL
ajmp LABEL
ljmp LABEL

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## 2. 25 Marks

Draw the schematic of a circuit to add 8 bytes of external program memory and 16 bytes of external data memory to an 87C51 system.

- All external memory devices should be 8k x 8.
- The address bus should be fully decoded using only inverters and 4-input NAND gates.
- The external program memory should appear at locations 2000H to 3FFFFH.
- The external data memory should appear at locations 0000H to 3FFFFH.

## 3. 25 Marks

Write an 87C51 subroutine which reverses, in place, a block of internal data memory and returns a value indicating whether or not the block of memory was palindromic (i.e. that the contents after reversal are the same as before. The arguments to the subroutine are:

- In the accumulator, the length of the block of memory.
- In R0, the address of the first location of the block of memory.

On return from your subroutine, the contents of the block of memory should be reversed. The carry flag (C) should be set to 1 if the block of memory was a palindrome and set to 0 if the block of memory was not a palindrome. The contents of the accumulator and registers should be the same as when the subroutine was called.

For example, suppose the subroutine was called with the accumulator set to 5 and R0 set to 40H, and the contents of the five memory locations beginning at location 40H were 01H, 02H, 23H, 12H, 30H. On return from the subroutine the five memory locations beginning at location 40H would contain 30H, 12H, 23H, 02H, 01H and the carry flag would be clear.

You may assume that the block of memory to be reversed will not overlap any of the memory locations used for the 87C51 registers.

## 4. 25 Marks

Write an 87C51 assembly-language subroutine which performs binary to ASCII hexadecimal conversion on unsigned binary values of arbitrary length. The arguments to the subroutine are:

R0 Pointer to the N-byte value to be converted to ASCII hexadecimal representation. The value is stored most-significant-byte first.

R1 Pointer to the 2N-byte output buffer where the ASCII values are to be stored.

A The number of bytes to be converted.

Leading zeroes should be converted to ASCII space characters.

END



MOV

MOV C, A

MOV A, @R0

ANL A, #0FH

CJNE A, #0AH, Out

Out: JC Ketchan

MOV @R1, A + 'A' - #10h

INC R1

SJMP Next

LessThan: MOV @R1, A + '0' - #10h

INC R1

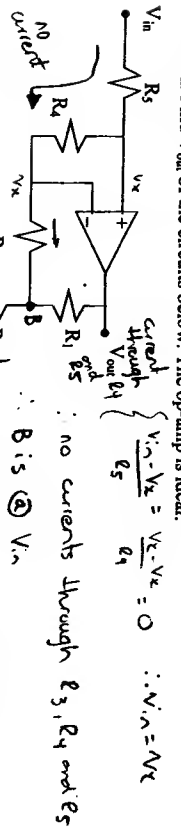
Next:

INC R0

DEC Count

Question 2: (20marks)

a. Find  $V_{out}$  of the circuits below. The op-amp is ideal.



ideal OPAMP

- no current in the or -ve terminals
- +ve terminal is at same potential as -ve terminal

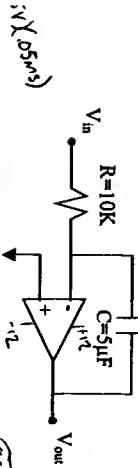
$$\frac{V_{in} - V_{out}}{R_2} = I_1 = \frac{V_{out} - V_{in}}{R_1}$$

B is @  $V_{in}$

no currents through  $R_3, R_4$  and  $R_5$

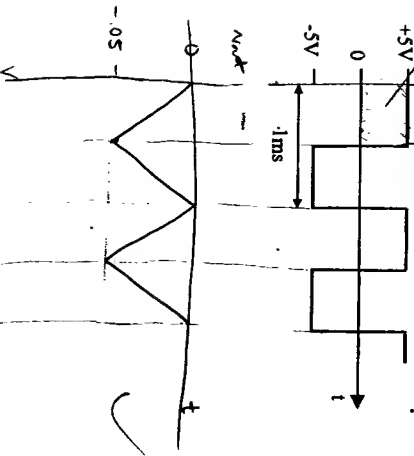
$$\frac{V_{in} - V_{out}}{R_2} = \frac{V_{out} - V_{in}}{R_1} \Rightarrow V_{in} = V_{out}$$

b. Sketch the output of the integrator shown below. The supply voltages to the op-amp are  $\pm 12V$  and the output is initially zero.



$$V_{out} = -\frac{1}{RC} \int V_{in} dt$$

where  $RC = (10K)(5uF) = 0.05s = 50ms$   
 & integrator has inverting output  
 & integrator is initially uncharged



$$V_{out} = -\frac{1}{RC} \int V_{in} dt$$

$$V_{out} = -\frac{1}{0.05} \int V_{in} dt$$

$$V_{out} = -20 \int V_{in} dt$$

$$V_{out} = -20 \left( \int_0^{0.0005} 5 dt + \int_{0.0005}^{0.0015} -5 dt \right)$$

$$V_{out} = -20 \left( 0.0025 - 0.0025 \right) = 0$$

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MIDTERM EXAMINATION

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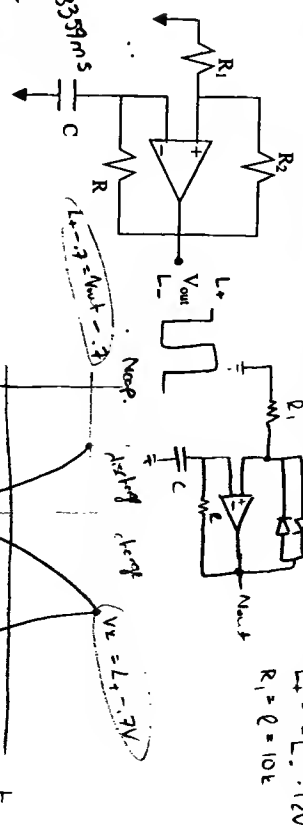
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Answer all 3 questions

2-pages formula allowed

Question 1: (20marks)

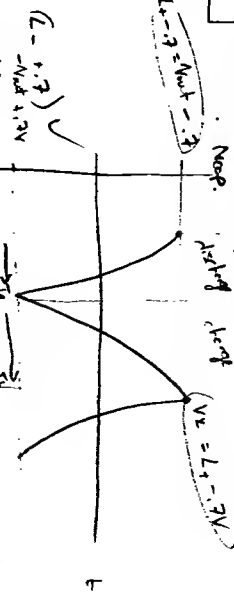
Use a diode pair to replace  $R_2$  in the circuit below. Assume  $L_+ = L_- = 12V$ . For  $R_1 = R = 10K\Omega$ , find capacitance  $C$  to have an output frequency of 4281Hz at 25°C. The diodes have  $V_D = 0.7V$  at 25°C with a temperature coefficient of  $-2mV/^\circ C$ . What frequency results at 0°C?



$$f = 4281Hz$$

$$T = \frac{1}{f} = 0.2339ms$$

$$T_0 = T_0 = \frac{1}{f} = 0.2339ms$$



$$V_{out}(t) = V_0 - V_D \ln\left(\frac{V_0 - V_{out}(t)}{V_0 - V_D}\right)$$

$$V_{out}(t) = 12 - 0.7 \ln\left(\frac{12 - V_{out}(t)}{12 - 0.7}\right)$$

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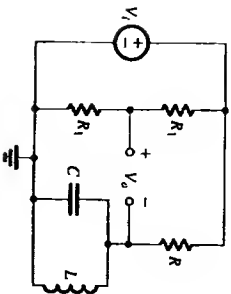
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Answer all 6 questions in 4 pages. State clearly appropriate assumptions (if any) in your answers. 4-page formula sheet and calculator are allowed.

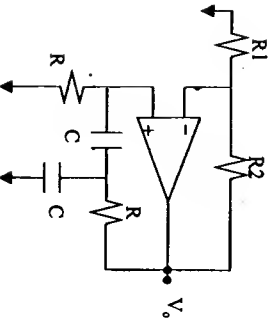
1. Question 1: (20 marks)

Derive the transfer function,  $V_o/V_{in}$ , of the all-pass filter below. For a given  $R, L, C$ , find frequencies at which the output undergoes a phase shift of  $90^\circ$  and  $180^\circ$  (i.e., frequencies are functions of  $R, L, C$ ). Find sensitivity of the  $90^\circ$  frequency with respect to the inductor  $L$ .



2. Question 2: (20 marks)

For the circuit below, find the loop gain  $L(s)$ ,  $L(j\omega)$ , and the frequency for zero loop-phase. Find  $R_2/R_1$  for oscillation.



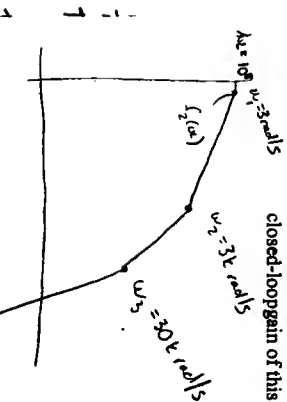
Question 3: (20marks)

An op-amp has the following open-loop transfer function:

$$A(j\omega) = \frac{V_{out}}{V_{in}} = \frac{10^5}{(1+j\frac{\omega}{\omega_1})(1+j\frac{\omega}{\omega_2})(1+j\frac{\omega}{\omega_3})}$$

where  $\omega_1 = 3\text{rad/s}$ ,  $\omega_2 = 3\text{krad/s}$ , and  $\omega_3 = 30\text{krad/s}$ .

- The op-amp is connected in a unity positive feedback configuration. What is the output frequency of the op-amp?
- The op-amp is connected in a negative feedback configuration. What is the maximum feedback coefficient that can be tolerated before instability results? What is the minimum closed-loop gain of this op-amp without oscillation?



a) unity positive feedback,  $\beta = 1$ .  $A_{CL} = 1$

$A_{CL} = 1$  occurs at  $f_{unity} = 10\text{krads}$

$$f_{unity} = A_{CL} f_1(\omega) = \frac{10^5}{1} \left( \frac{3\text{rad/s}}{30000} \right) = 3\text{krads}$$

$$f_1(\omega) = \frac{3\text{rad/s}}{30000}$$

$$f_{unity} = 47746\text{Hz}$$

$$f_{unity} = 2\pi f = 300000\text{rad/s}$$

$$b) \omega_{180} = -180 = -\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\omega_{180}}{3}\right) - \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\omega_{180}}{30000}\right) - \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\omega_{180}}{300000}\right)$$

$$\omega_{180} = 9492.0493\text{ rad/s}$$

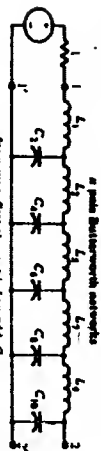
$$\max B = \frac{1}{A} = \frac{1}{9.08} = 0.11012 = \beta$$

The minimum closed-loop gain of this op-amp without OSC. we know that oscillation can occur when the frequency gain is increased beyond  $\omega_{180}$ . At  $\omega_{180}$ , there is a corresponding gain that correlates the minimum gain and not oscillating

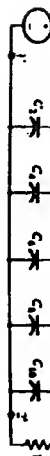
$$A_{CL} = 9.08$$



TABLE 14.2 n-pole Butterworth networks



n	L <sub>1</sub>	C <sub>1</sub>	L <sub>2</sub>	C <sub>2</sub>	L <sub>3</sub>	C <sub>3</sub>	L <sub>4</sub>	C <sub>4</sub>	L <sub>5</sub>	C <sub>5</sub>	L <sub>6</sub>	C <sub>6</sub>
1	0.7071	1.414										
2	0.5883	1.313	1.577	1.577	1.931							
3	0.3827	1.802	1.382	1.382	1.577	1.931	1.577	1.931	1.577	1.931	1.577	1.931
4	0.2598	2.214	1.154	1.154	1.382	1.382	1.577	1.577	1.931	1.577	1.931	1.577
5	0.1961	2.613	0.924	0.924	1.154	1.154	1.382	1.382	1.577	1.577	1.931	1.577
6	0.1545	2.992	0.754	0.754	0.924	0.924	1.154	1.154	1.382	1.382	1.577	1.577
7	0.1254	3.357	0.625	0.625	0.754	0.754	0.924	0.924	1.154	1.154	1.382	1.382
8	0.1035	3.714	0.525	0.525	0.625	0.625	0.754	0.754	0.924	0.924	1.154	1.154
9	0.0871	4.064	0.447	0.447	0.525	0.525	0.625	0.625	0.754	0.754	0.924	0.924
10	0.0754	4.408	0.382	0.382	0.447	0.447	0.525	0.525	0.625	0.625	0.754	0.754

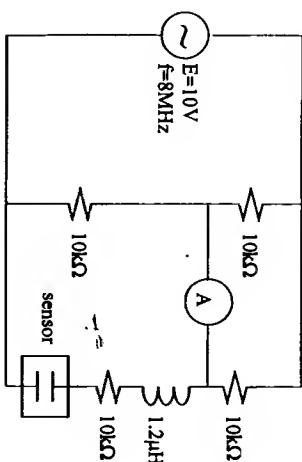


## 3. Question 3: (20 marks)

## a. Provide (very) short answers to the following questions:

- Name 4 physical effects contribute to the voltage generated in a thermal couple.
- Why standards and calibration are required in instrumentations?
- List intrinsic noise sources in instrumentation circuits. How to protect circuits from extrinsic noise?
- What are the benefits and what are the drawbacks in using digital instrumentations?
- Draw a block diagram for a remote temperature measuring system using thermistor as a sensing element and current temperature is sent over the internet to the users.

- b. A capacitive displacement sensor is calibrated using the bridge network below. The bridge is balanced when the input frequency is adjusted to 8MHz. Find displacement,  $x$ , of the sensor. It is known that the sensor has a capacitance of  $C = \frac{5\epsilon_0 b x}{d}$ , where  $b=1\text{cm}$ ,  $d=0.1\text{mm}$ , and  $\epsilon_0=8.8542 \times 10^{-12}\text{F/m}$ .



## 4. Question 4: (20 marks)

In a digital instrumentation system to measure velocity of a fluid pipe, the A/D converter has a sampling rate of 20Ksample/second. Find the Nyquist frequency of the analog signal from the transducer. Design a Butterworth response RLC filter for anti-aliasing purpose in front of the A/D converter. The filter should have a cut off,  $\omega_p$ , at Nyquist frequency with an  $A_{\text{max}}$  of 1dB and  $A_{\text{min}}$  of 10dB at a frequency of 1.5 times Nyquist frequency. Use 50Ω resistor at the filter input.

Formulae:  $A_{\text{MAX}} = 20 \log(\sqrt{1+\epsilon^2})$  and  $\epsilon = \sqrt{10^{\frac{A_{\text{MAX}}}{20}} - 1}$

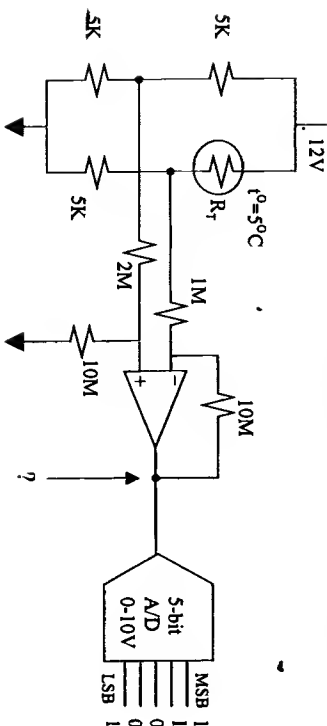
$$A(\omega_s) = 10 \log[1 + \epsilon^2 (\frac{\omega_s}{\omega_p})^2]$$

## 5. Question 5: (20 marks)

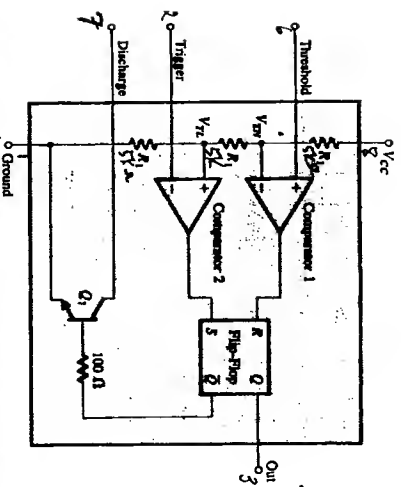
Consider the circuit in a temperature measurement below. The op-amps have an output saturation of  $\pm 12\text{V}$ . The A/D is a 5-bit successive-approximation A/D converter type with an analog span of 0 to 10V.

- Find the input voltage of the A/D converter.
- The thermistor,  $R_T$ , has a resistance of  $2\text{k}\Omega$  at  $20^\circ\text{C}$ . Find the coefficient  $\beta$  of the thermistor if its temperature in the circuit is  $5^\circ\text{C}$ .

Formula:  $R(T) = R(T_0) e^{\beta(1/T - 1/T_0)}$  where  $\beta$  and  $T$  are in K.



A group of students set up the circuit below to measure the length of a cable for their 4<sup>th</sup> year project. The co-axial cable is a capacitor having  $5 \text{ pF/m}$ . The 6-bit counter is enabled from a monostable circuit and its clock is from an astable circuit. If the final count from the counter is 01010 as shown, calculate the length of the cable.



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Open books, open notes. Answer all questions.

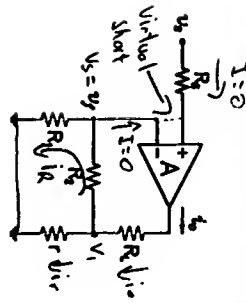
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Total mark: 50

## 1. Question 1 (15 marks)

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Integration Tool.

In the non-inverting voltage-to-current converter shown, the basic op-amp has infinite input resistance and zero output resistance. For input  $v_i$  and output  $i_o$ , find an expression for the feedback factor  $\beta = v_i/i_o$ . For an open loop gain  $A = 10^5$  mA/V, what must  $\beta$  be for a closed-loop gain of 10 mA/V? For this  $\beta$ , find values of  $R_1$ ,  $R_2$ , and  $r$  to make  $i_o/v_i = 10$  mA/V, (while allowing the voltage across  $R_2$  to be as large as possible for a given power supply, yet using no resistor smaller than 150 $\Omega$ ). What is the value of  $i_o$  when  $v_i = 1$  V?



$$i_o R_2 = \frac{v_i}{\beta}$$

$$v_i = i_o R_2 (R_1 + R_2) = \frac{v_i}{\beta} (R_1 + R_2)$$

$$r = \frac{v_i}{i_o} = \frac{v_i}{\beta} (R_1 + R_2)$$

$$i_o = i_o + i_r = \frac{v_i}{R_1} + \frac{v_i}{R_2} (R_1 + R_2)$$

$$\beta = \frac{v_i}{i_o} = \frac{v_i}{\frac{v_i}{R_1} + \frac{v_i}{R_2} (R_1 + R_2)}$$

$$\beta = \frac{1}{\frac{R_1}{R_1 + R_2} + \frac{R_2}{R_1}}$$

$$\beta = \frac{R_1}{R_1 + R_2 + R_1 R_2}$$

If  $A_{CL} = 10$  mA/V and  $V_S = 1$  V, then:

$$i_o = A_{CL} V_S = 10 \text{ mA/V} (1 \text{ V})$$

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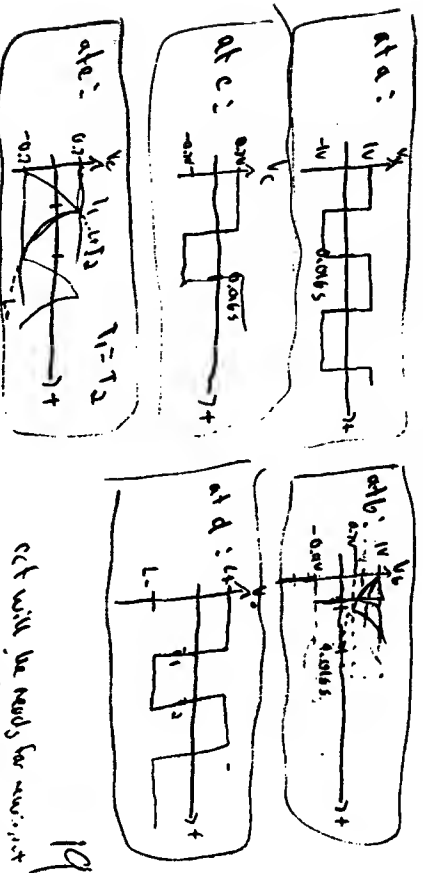
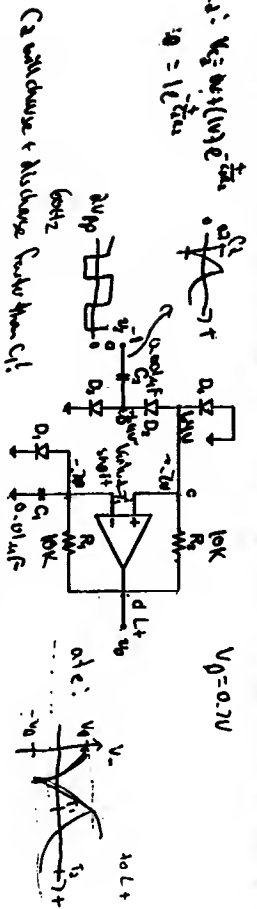
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## 2. Question 2 (20 marks)

Consider the circuit shown, using diodes which conduct at  $V_D = 0.7V$ , and an amplifier saturating at  $\pm 10V$ , with  $R_1 = R_2 = 10K$  and  $C_1 = 10\mu F$ . Find the output pulse width and frequency, if  $v_i$  is a 60 Hz square wave of 2Vpp amplitude. Sketch the waveforms at nodes a through e. What is the smallest input signal required to trigger the circuit? How long does it take for this circuit to be ready for a new input?

$$i_i = V_i / R_1 = 1V / 10K = 0.1mA$$

$$V_D = 0.7V$$



cet will be ready for new input in 28.1ms

$$F_{0.1} \text{ charging: } V_L = L_T - (L_T + V_D)e^{-\frac{t}{T_1}} \quad t = T_1, V_L = V_D \Rightarrow \text{switch}$$

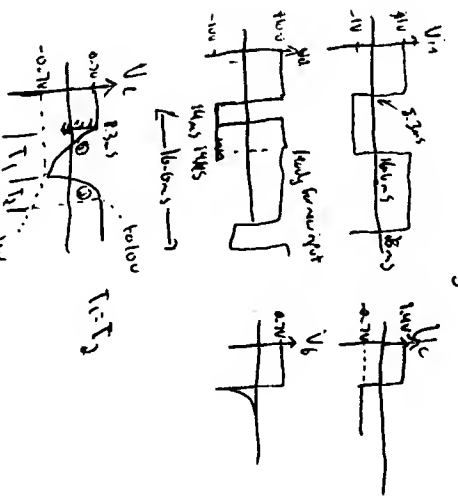
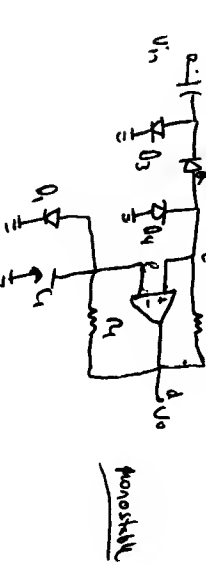
$$\text{so } T_1 = R_1 C_1 \ln \left( \frac{L_T + V_D}{L_T - V_D} \right) / T_1 = T_2$$

$$\text{and } T_2 = 28.1ms \quad (L_T + V_D) = 2.805 \times 10^{-5}$$

$$\text{output: } f = 36.7 \text{ Hz and pulse width } t = 28.1ms$$

Smallest signal to trigger is 1.4Vpp

1.2:



$$\text{curve: } V_L = L_T + (L_T - V_D)e^{-\frac{t}{T_1}}$$

$$f = 60Hz \text{ duty cycle } \approx 50\%$$

$$V_L = -V_D, t = T_1$$

$$-V_D = L_T + (L_T - V_D)e^{-\frac{T_1}{R_1 C_1}}$$

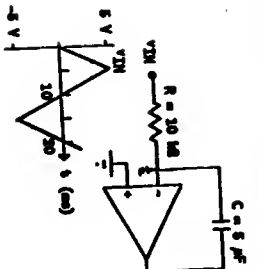
$$e^{-\frac{T_1}{R_1 C_1}} = \frac{L_T - V_D}{L_T + V_D}$$

$$T_1 = -R_1 C_1 \ln \left( \frac{L_T - V_D}{L_T + V_D} \right)$$

$$T_1 = 14ms$$

### 3. Question 3 (15 marks)

A 5V peak triangular voltage with a period of 20ms, depicted on the axis shown below, is applied to an ideal op-amp integrator. Sketch  $V_{out}$  as a function of time. The capacitor has zero initial charge.



$$i_C = C \frac{dV_C}{dt}$$

$$dV_C = -\frac{1}{C} i_C dt$$

$$V_{out} = V_C = \int -\frac{1}{C} i_C dt$$

$$V_C = -\frac{1}{RC} \int V_{in} dt$$

$$V_{in}(t) = +V_m \rightarrow 0 \leq t \leq 5ms$$

$$V_{in}(t) = -V_m \rightarrow 5ms \leq t \leq 15ms$$

$$V_{in}(t) = +V_m \rightarrow 15ms \leq t \leq 20ms$$

$$\text{For an integrator: } V_{out} = -\frac{1}{RC} \int V_{in} dt$$

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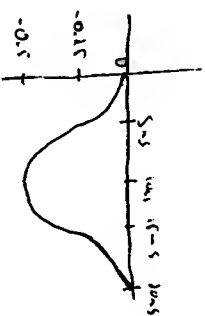
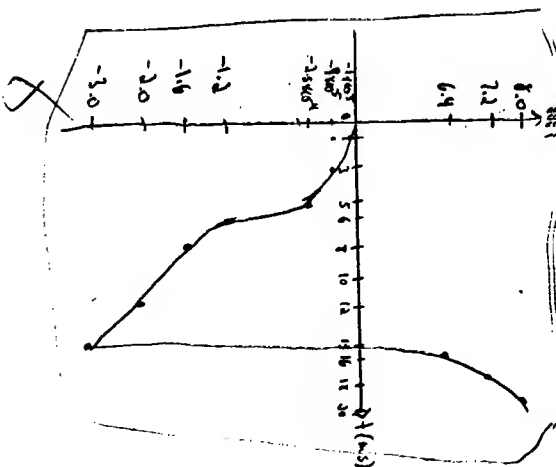
$$0 \leq t \leq 5: V_{out} = -\frac{1}{5 \times 10^{-3} \times 5 \times 10^{-6}} \int_0^5 t dt = -\frac{1}{25 \times 10^{-9}} \left[ \frac{t^2}{2} \right]_0^5$$

$$5 \leq t \leq 15: V_{out} = -\frac{1}{5 \times 10^{-3} \times 5 \times 10^{-6}} \left( \int_5^{15} (-t + 10) dt \right) = -\frac{1}{25 \times 10^{-9}} \left[ -\frac{t^2}{2} + 10t \right]_5^{15}$$

$$15 \leq t \leq 20: V_{out} = -\frac{1}{5 \times 10^{-3} \times 5 \times 10^{-6}} \int_{15}^{20} (t - 20) dt = -\frac{1}{25 \times 10^{-9}} \left[ \frac{t^2}{2} - 20t \right]_{15}^{20}$$

t (ms)	V <sub>out</sub> (V)
0	0
5	-1.00 × 10 <sup>-5</sup>
10	-8.40 × 10 <sup>-5</sup>
15	-1.20 × 10 <sup>-4</sup>
20	-1.60 × 10 <sup>-4</sup>
25	-2.00 × 10 <sup>-4</sup>
30	-2.40 × 10 <sup>-4</sup>
35	-2.80 × 10 <sup>-4</sup>
40	-3.20 × 10 <sup>-4</sup>

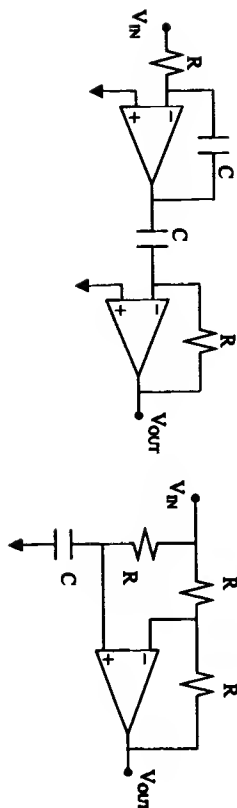
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Answer 5 out of 6 questions.  
Open books, open notes.  
Good luck and have a Merry Christmas.

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For the circuits (a) and (b) below, derive transfer functions  $V_{out}/V_{in}$  as a function of frequency. For  $R=10K$  and  $C=1.5\mu F$ , sketch amplitude and phase response of  $V_{out}/V_{in}$ .

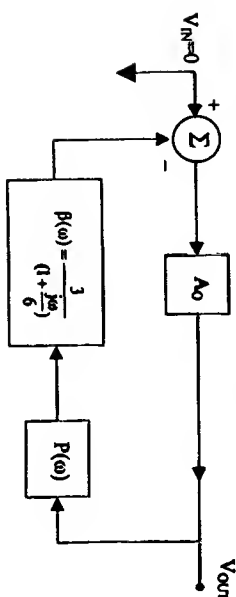


(a)

(b)

2. Question 2: (20 marks)

The feedback diagram shown below describes an oscillator circuit. In this case,  $P(\omega)=0.1$  and  $\angle P(\omega) = -135^\circ$  for all  $\omega$ .

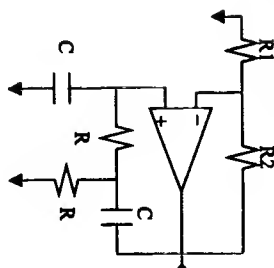


- Find the frequency of oscillation.
- Find the minimum value of  $A_0$  needed to maintain oscillation.

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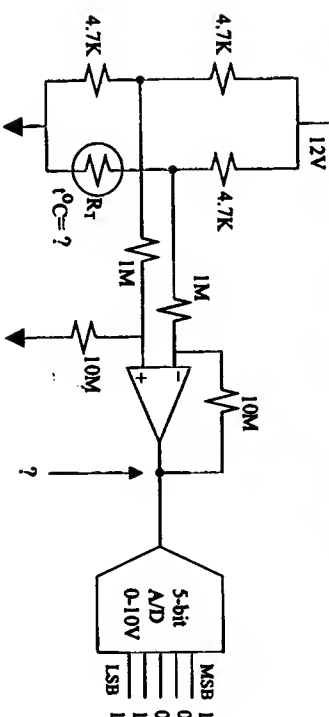
3. Question 3: (20 marks)

For the circuit below, find the loop gain  $L(s)$ ,  $L(j\omega)$ , the frequency for zero loop-phase. Find  $R_2/R_1$  for oscillation.



4. Question 4: (20 marks)

Consider the circuit in a temperature measurement below. The A/D is a 5-bit successive-approximation A/D converter type with an analog span of 0 to 10V, find the input voltage of the A/D converter. The thermistor,  $R_t$ , has a resistance of  $2K$  at  $20^\circ C$  and the coefficient  $\beta$  is assumed to be constant at 3650, find temperature of the thermistor.



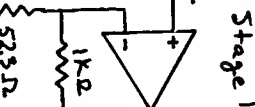
5. Question 5: (20 marks)

In a digital instrumentation system to measure velocity of a fluid pipe, the A/D converter has a sampling rate of 20Ksample/second. Find the Nyquist frequency of the analog signal from the transducer. Design an active filter for anti-aliasing purpose in front of the A/D converter. The filter should have a cut off frequency at Nyquist frequency with a selection of  $F_{3dB}$  is at least 3. Since the output signal of the transducer has a wide range of frequency, no ripple is allowed in the filter passband and only 10K resistors are available to realize the filter.

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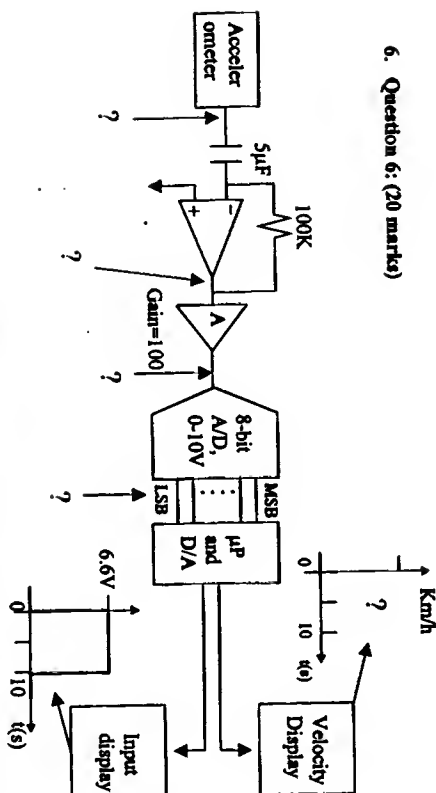
**Instructor:** R.E. Gender  
**Duration:** 50 minutes  
**Note:** One bound textbook, course notes, calculator and assignments allowed.  
**Answer BOTH questions.** The questions are of equal value.

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Number of sections	Amplitude = 6.1 dB, Carrier frequency = 1.5							
	$f_{c1}$	$f_{c2}$	$f_{c3}$	$f_{c4}$	$f_{c5}$	$f_{c6}$	$f_{c7}$	$f_{c8}$
1	0.001	0.002	0.003	0.004	0.005	0.006	0.007	0.008

The above arrangement is used to measure velocity of a vehicle (not a good design). The waveform shown at the input display is the output of the A/D converter (data from A/D connected directly to D/A). Ignore quantization error, find the A/D output word. Sketch analog input voltage waveform at the A/D converter, the amplifier A input and the accelerometer output. The accelerometer has an inversion factor of  $0.25\text{ V/m/s}^2$  (i.e.,  $250\text{ mV}$  corresponds to  $1\text{ m/s}^2$ ), find final velocity of the vehicle if its initial velocity is  $100\text{ km/h}$  and sketch the vehicle velocity.



**NOTE 5:** Measured detection of the source used in the analysis was 0.002%

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2. A platinum RTD probe has a resistance of 1000  $\Omega$  at 25  $^{\circ}\text{C}$ , a temperature co-efficient,  $\alpha$  of 0.4  $\Omega/\Omega/^{\circ}\text{C}$ , and a thermal dissipation constant of 5 mW/K. Design an interface circuit for this transducer so that the output is 0 to 10 V over the temperature range 0 to 100  $^{\circ}\text{C}$ . Your design should strive to maximize the sensitivity, but it should not cause a self-heating error greater than 1%.

\*\*\*\*\*THE END\*\*\*\*\*

University of Saskatchewan  
Department of Electrical Engineering  
EE 452/EE330 - Instrumentation  
Final Examination

December 2001

Instructor: R. E. Gender

Time: 3 Hours

Note: Calculator, one bound textbook, published Course Notes, individual course notes and assignments allowed.

Answer ALL questions.

Marks

- (40) 1. A cable (wire rope) manufacturer is interested in measuring the force exerted on and the velocity of the cable as it is pulled through the machine used to wind the strands of the cable. Discuss 3 possible ways of measuring each of the two parameters (that is, force and velocity). Provide sketches to clarify any mechanical mounting or interfacing. Your discussion should include advantages and disadvantages of each method. You should also decide which of the proposed methods seems to be the most promising.

- (20) 2. A resolver is to be used to measure angular displacement over the range  $\pm 25^{\circ}$ . The resolver has two outputs available:

$$V_1 = \sin \theta$$

$$V_2 = \sin \theta \cos \theta$$

$$\text{where } \sin \theta = 10 \text{ V}_{\text{max}}$$

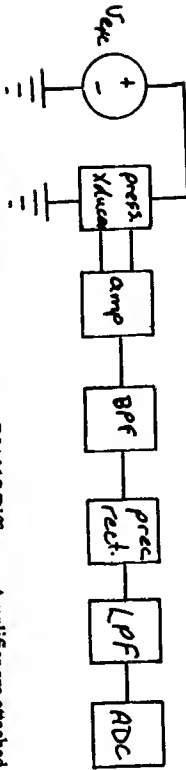
Explain which output would be better to use over the specified range. For the selected output, what will be the rms voltage range? Sketch the expected transfer function of the output voltage with respect to angle. The sketch should be sufficiently accurate to indicate any nonlinearity in the relationship. What voltage resolution will be required to achieve 0.1 $^{\circ}$  angular displacement resolution? What is the minimum word size required to achieve this resolution if the signal is digitized?

- (15) 3. A civil engineer is using a microcomputer-based data acquisition system to record vibrations at 8 points on a bridge truss during load testing. The load test simulates the flow of traffic across the bridge. The data acquisition board has an 8-channel multiplexer, a sample and hold circuit, and a 12-bit analog to digital converter. The maximum acquisition rate is 40,000 samples per second. Each of the eight vibration signals is passed through a low-pass, anti-aliasing filter with a cutoff frequency of 500 Hz prior to being connected to a multiplexer input. In order to test this set-up, the engineer is using a function generator to feed a sinusoidal signal to all 8 channels simultaneously. At low frequencies, everything seems to work properly. However, when she uses a frequency close to the cutoff frequency, the waveforms displayed "don't line up properly". How would you explain to her that the sampling process causes this shifting? (Incidentally, how much phase shift do you expect?) Is this phase shift a reason for concern in her application?



Marks


- (40) 4. The instrumentation system shown below is to be used to measure fluid pressure in a hydraulic actuator. The pressure signal has a bandwidth of 10 Hz. A 5-kHz, 5-V<sub>max</sub> sinusoidal voltage source is used to excite the transducer bridge. The bandpass filter/amplifier is used to amplify the bridge output. The precision rectifier and low-pass filter are used to obtain a dc voltage proportional to the pressure signal. The low-pass filter must pass the voltage signal due to pressure variation with no more than 1% attenuation, but it must attenuate the 10-kHz rectifier ripple by at least 60 dB. Design a low-pass filter with the necessary passband and stopband characteristics. [Note: if a filter of order greater than 2 is required, provide the detailed design for one second-order section.]




- (40) 5. Some of the data sheets for the Burr-Brown INA117 Difference Amplifier are attached. Figure 6 (a to d) shows four variations of the device used as a current-to-voltage converter. All the resistors, except  $R_1$  and  $R_2$ , are part of the device. Therefore, the converter. All the resistors, except  $R_1$  and  $R_2$ , are part of the device. Therefore, the noise voltage specified includes the resistor thermal noise as well as the current and voltage noise of the amplifier. Draw the noise model for this device. Determine the output noise due to thermal noise at 10 kHz. [Note: you will need to make an assumption about the bandwidth.] Determine the output noise that is due to the amplifier's current and voltage noise at 10 kHz. What will be the change in total noise at +125 °C? at -55 °C?

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## High Common-Mode Voltage DIFFERENCE AMPLIFIER

### FEATURES

- COMMON-MODE INPUT RANGE:  
-250V ( $V_{CC} = \pm 15V$ )
- PROTECTED INPUTS:  
-500V Common-Mode
- 100V Differential
- UNITY GAIN: 0.02% Gain Error max
- NONLINEARITY: 0.001% max
- CMRR: 80dB min

### APPLICATIONS

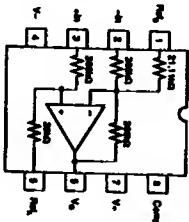
- CURRENT MONITOR
- BATTERY CELL-VOLTAGE MONITOR
- GROUND SWELLER
- INPUT PROTECTION
- SIGNAL ACQUISITION IN NOISY ENVIRONMENTS
- FACTORY AUTOMATION

### DESCRIPTION

The INA117 is a precision unity-gain difference amplifier with very high common-mode input voltage range. It is a single monolithic IC consisting of a precision op amp and integrated thin-film resistor network. It can accurately measure small differential voltages in the presence of common-mode signals up to 250V. The INA117 inputs are protected from momentary common-mode or differential overvoltage up to 500V.

In many applications, where galvanic isolation is not required, the INA117 can replace isolation amplifiers. The low distortion unity isolated input-side precision amplifier and other associated input-side precision current. The INA117's 0.001% nonlinearity and 200dB CMRR bandwidths are superior to those of conventional isolation amplifiers.

The INA117 is available in 8-pin plastic, DIP and SO-8 surface-mount packages, specified for the 0°C to +70°C temperature range. The small TO-9 package is available specified for the -25°C to +85°C and -55°C to +125°C temperature range.



Standard input impedances: 100kΩ (typical), 10MΩ (min), 100MΩ (max). Input resistance: 100kΩ (typical), 10MΩ (min), 100MΩ (max). Input capacitance: 10pF (typical), 100pF (max). Input leakage current: 10pA (typical), 100pA (max). Input offset voltage: 1mV (typical), 10mV (max). Input offset current: 10pA (typical), 100pA (max). Input bias current: 10pA (typical), 100pA (max). Input common-mode range: -250V to +250V. Input differential range: -100V to +100V. Output voltage range: -15V to +15V. Output current range: 0 to 10mA. Output impedance: 100Ω (typical), 10kΩ (max). Power supply range: -15V to +15V. Power dissipation: 100mW (typical), 1W (max). Storage temperature range: -55°C to +125°C. Operating temperature range: -55°C to +125°C. Lead-free package: 100% lead-free. RoHS compliant.

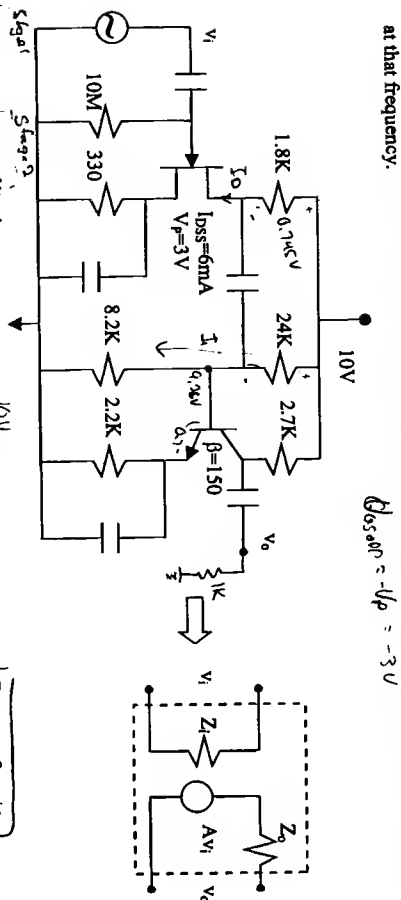


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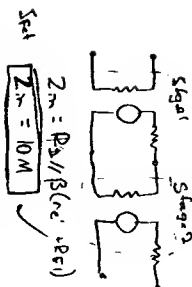
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## Question 1 (20 marks)

- a. Represent the multistage amplifier on the left as a two-port device shown on the right.  
b. A  $1\text{K}$  load is connected to the output port, write the expression of the output waveform if a voltage of  $v_i = (5\text{mV})\sin(2\pi \cdot (1.6 \cdot 10^3)t)$  is applied at the input port. Assume all capacitors are short circuit at that frequency.



$$v_{os} \approx -v_o = -3\text{V}$$



$$Z_{in} = R_{B1} \parallel R_{B2} \parallel \beta(r_e + R_E)$$

$$Z_{out} = R_{E2} \parallel \beta(r_e + R_E)$$

$$I_D = \frac{0.414 \cdot 10\text{V}}{6\text{mA}} = 0.07$$

$$I_{DSS} = \left(1 - \frac{V_{GS}}{V_{GS(off)}}\right)^2$$

$$\sqrt{0.07} = \left(1 - \frac{V_{GS}}{V_{GS(off)}}\right)$$

$$V_{GS} = -3\text{V}$$

$$g_m = g_{m0} \left(1 - \frac{V_{GS}}{V_{GS(off)}}\right)$$

$$g_m = 0.00105$$

$$I_D = 0.745\text{mA}$$

$$Z_{in} = 34\text{K} \parallel 8.2\text{K} \parallel \beta(r_e + R_E)$$

$$Z_{out} = 2.7\text{K}$$

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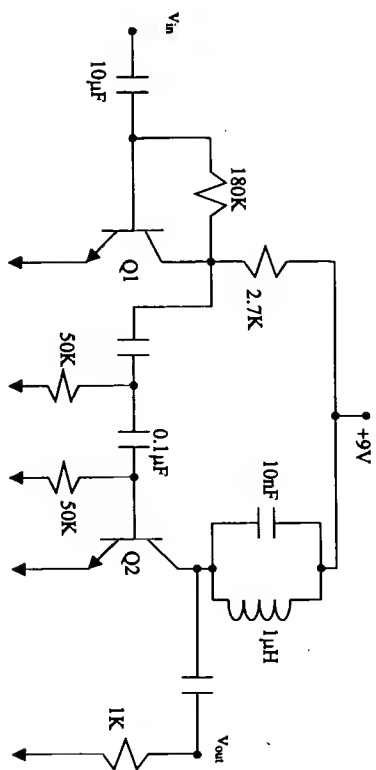
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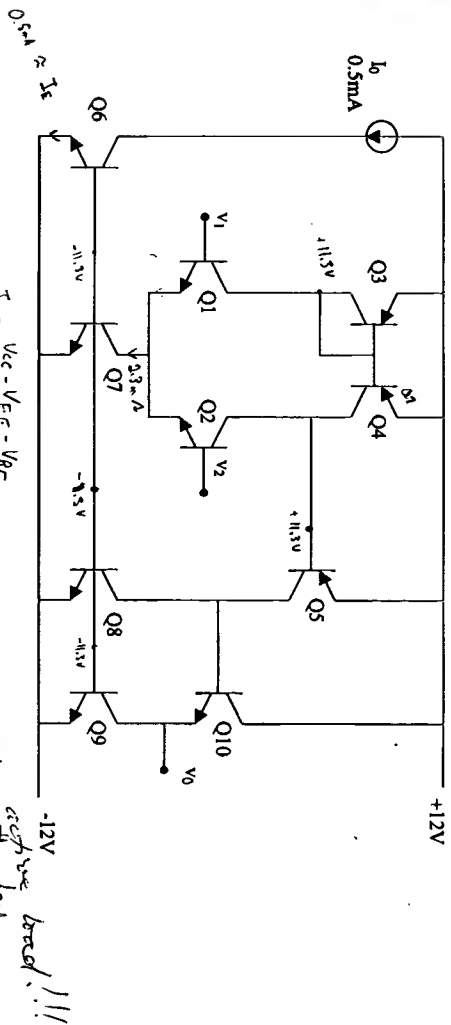
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Question 2 (20marks)  
For the circuit below, write the expression and sketch the waveform of the output voltage, ( $v_{out}$ ), if  $v_{in} = (5\text{mV})\sin(2\pi \cdot (1.6 \cdot 10^3)t)$ . The transistors have  $\beta_{DC} = \beta_{AC} = 200$  and  $V_{BE} = 0.7\text{V}$ . Assume the class C amplifier (Q2) generates a full output voltage swing from  $9\text{V}$  supply.



### Question 3 (20marks)

For the amplifier shown below, find the ac voltage gain  $\frac{V_0}{V_2 - V_1}$ , the input and output impedances. All of the transistor pairs are matched. The transistors have  $\beta=100$ ,  $V_{BE}=0.7V$  and early voltage  $V_A=50V$ . What does the gain become with a 1K load?



$$\beta = 100 \quad V_A = 50V$$

$$I_T = \frac{V_{CC} - V_{BE} - V_{BE}}{R} = \frac{12V - 0.7V - 0.7V}{1000\Omega} = 10.6mA$$

$$I_T = \frac{10.6mA}{2} = 5.3mA$$

$$I = 5.3mA$$

No load, so would be double  
so calculate, under gain  
count resistance of transistors  
at  $R_E, R_{D1}, R_{D2}$  etc.

$$\text{Stage 1}$$

$$A = \frac{g_m}{\frac{1}{r_e} + g_m} = \frac{g_m}{\frac{1}{r_e} + g_m}$$

$$Z_{in} = R_1 \parallel R_2 \parallel \beta(r_e + R_E)$$

$$Z_{out} = R_E \parallel (r_e + \frac{R_1 \parallel R_2}{\beta})$$

$$\text{Stage 2}$$

$$A = \frac{g_m}{\frac{1}{r_e} + g_m}$$

$$Z_{in} = R_1 \parallel R_2 \parallel \beta(r_e + R_E)$$

$$Z_{out} = R_E \parallel (r_e + \frac{R_1 \parallel R_2}{\beta})$$

$$A = A_1 A_2 A_3 \left( \frac{2m}{2n} \right) \left( \frac{2m}{2n} \right) \left( \frac{2m}{2n} \right)$$

$$Z_{in} = Z_{in1}$$

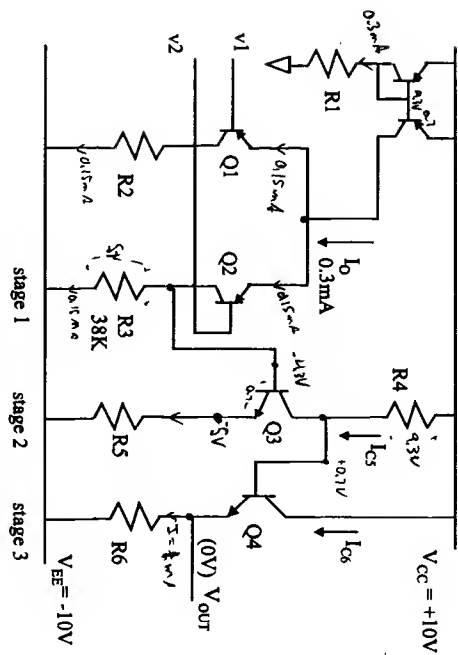
$$Z_{out} = Z_{out3}$$

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### Question 4 (20marks)

The circuit below is to be biased so that  $V_{OUT} = 0V$  and  $I_{CS} = I_{CS} = 1mA$  when the inputs are zero. Assume the transistors have  $V_{BE} = 0.7V$  and  $\beta=100$ . Q1 and Q2 are matched.

- Find  $R_1, R_4, R_5$  and  $R_6$  to achieve the desired bias parameter.
- Find total gain of the amplifier.
- Find output impedance of the overall amplifier.



$$a) R_E = \frac{10V}{1mA} = 10K\Omega$$

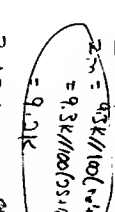
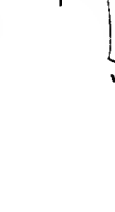
$$V_{GS} = 0.15mA(3K\Omega) = 0.45V$$

$$V_{th} = 5.7V$$

$$R_E = 5V$$

$$R_4 = 9.3K\Omega$$

$$R_1 = 31K\Omega$$



$$\text{Stage 1}$$

$$Z_{in} = 280\Omega \quad r_e = 25mV / 0.15mA = 167\Omega$$

$$Z_{out} = 33K\Omega$$

$$\text{Stage 2}$$

$$Z_{in} = 38K\Omega$$

$$Z_{out} = 38K\Omega$$

$$A = \frac{g_m}{\frac{1}{r_e} + g_m} = \frac{0.15mA}{25mV} = 6$$

$$A = 1.95$$

$$A = A_1 A_2 A_3 \left( \frac{2m}{2n} \right) \left( \frac{2m}{2n} \right) \left( \frac{2m}{2n} \right)$$

$$Z_{in} = 117\Omega$$

$$Z_{out} = 117\Omega$$

Instructor: J.E. Morelli

Date 14 April, 2000

Time: 3 hours (09:00 - 12:00)

Notes: All questions have equal value.

Answer only 5 of the 6 questions.

One page of notes may be brought into the examination.

Hand held calculators are permitted.

State any assumptions and justify all of your answers.

Budget your time wisely as this is a long examination.

1. A FET transistor circuit is shown in Figure 1a. Also shown are the output characteristic and the transfer characteristic in Figures 1b and 1c respectively.

a. What type of FET is used in this circuit? Briefly describe how this transistor works and how the output characteristic behaviour is produced.

b. Given that basic equation for this FET,  $I_D = k(V_{GS} - V_T)^2$ , find the following values:

- $k$
- $V_{GSQ}$
- $V_{DSQ}$
- $V_{DS}$
- $R_D$
- $R_S$
- $R_P$
- $V_{DSQ}$

Show all of the steps in your calculations and be sure to explain what you are doing. Hint, it is not necessary to find the above values in order.

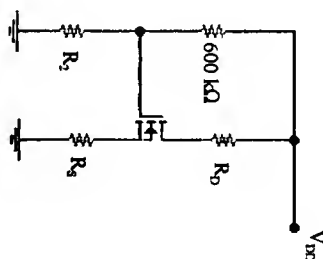


Figure 1a

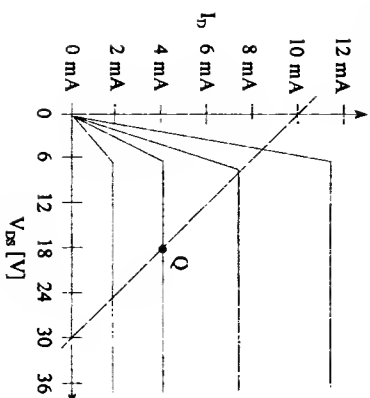


Figure 1b

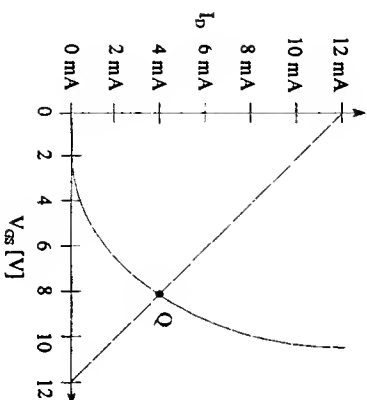


Figure 1c

2. The differential amplifier is the device at the core of the operational amplifier which is used in many analog circuits. The differential amplifier is in turn made up of basic BJT amplifier units that are appropriately biased. Biasing is commonly accomplished with the use of current sources.

a. Describe briefly how the current source in Figure 2a works and have a static forward current gain of 200.

b. Find the current sourced by the current source in Figure 2a, assuming that Q3 and Q4 are identical and have a static forward current gain of 200.

c. The current source in Figure 2a can be modeled effectively by the components shown within the dashed box in Figure 2b. Sketch the output characteristic of the current source by itself (this is a sketch of the current,  $I_D$ , versus voltage  $V_{AS}$ ).

d. Consider the a.c. signals  $v_{in1}$  and  $v_{in2}$  to be decomposed into differential,  $v_D$ , and common mode,  $v_C$ , signals. What are the expressions for  $v_D$  and  $v_C$ ?

e. Let  $v_{in1} = 0.1 \sin(1000t) + 2.0 \sin(377t)$  [mV] and  $v_{in2} = 2.01 \sin(377t)$  [mV], which might represent a two-wire voltage signal sent from a sensor to a factory control room in a strong 60 Hz environment. Estimate the output voltage signal,  $v_{out}$ , if the transistors Q1 and Q2 are identical and have a static forward current gain of 150 and  $r_{\pi1} = r_{\pi2} = 4 \text{ k}\Omega$ .

f. Estimate the CMRR of this differential amplifier.

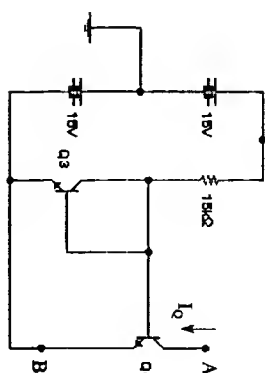


Figure 2a

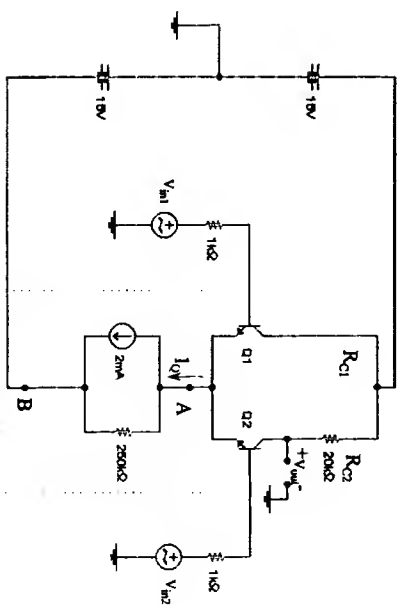


Figure 2b

3. The amplifier circuit shown below in Figure 3 is biased in such a way that both of the Bipolar Junction Transistors are operating in their active regions. Using a D.C. multimeter, the following values were recorded in the laboratory:

$$I_{B1} = 80.5 \mu\text{A}, I_{C1} = 16.1 \text{ mA}, V_{C1} = 17.1 \text{ V}, V_{E1} = 1.6 \text{ V}$$

$$I_{B2} = 1.51 \text{ mA}, I_{C2} = 302 \text{ mA}, V_{B2} = 17.1 \text{ V}, V_{E2} = 15.2 \text{ V}$$

The internal temperature of the transistors can be assumed to be 25 °C.

a. Is this a good operating point? Why?

b. Sketch the simplified high frequency small signal a.c. model of this amplifier circuit given that  $C_{BE1} = C_{BE2} = 19.5 \text{ pF}$  and  $C_{BC1} = C_{BC2} = 9.63 \text{ pF}$ .

c. Calculate the approximate high cut-off frequency of the amplifier by completing Table 3.a.

d. Calculate the approximate low cut-off frequency of the amplifier by completing Table 3.b.

Capacitance	$R_{eq}$	$f_{cu}$	$f_{cl}$
$C_{BE1}$	203 $\Omega$	40.2 MHz	?
$C_{BC1}$	?	?	?
$C_{BE2}$	1.2 $\Omega$	6.8 GHz	?
$C_{BC2}$	690 $\Omega$	24 MHz	?

Table 3. a

Capacitance	$R_{eq}$	$f_{cu}$	$f_{cl}$
$C_1$	1255 $\Omega$	1.3 Hz	?
$C_2$	?	?	?
$C_3$	46 $\Omega$	173 Hz	?

Table 3. b

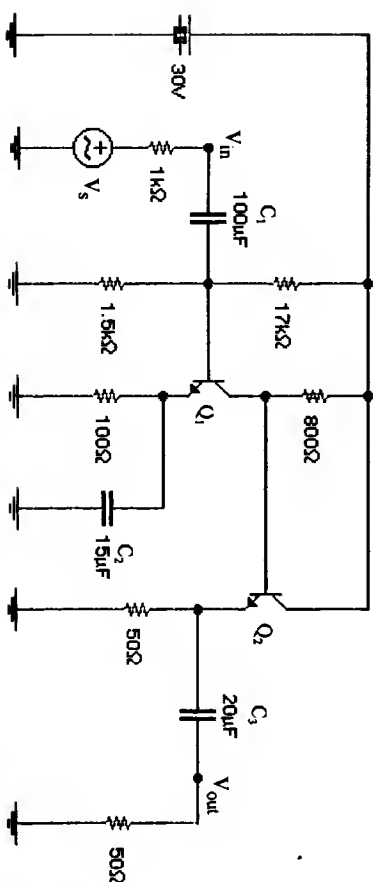


Figure 3

4. Show that the circuit in Figure 4a can be represented by the block diagram in Figure 4b. That is, find the forward gain  $G = v_2/v_1$  by considering the portion of the circuit enclosed within the dashed box, and find feedback gain  $H = v_1/v_2$  by considering that portion of the circuit outside the dashed box. Hint, solve for H in terms of the reactances  $X_1$ ,  $X_2$  and  $X_3$ .

As H is clearly frequency dependent it should not be surprising that for a certain frequency range  $H < 0$  ; and therefore feedback is no longer negative. For the special case when H is a negative real number (that is the imaginary part of  $H = 0$ ), and  $GH > 1$  this circuit will begin to oscillate at a unique frequency,  $\omega_0$  which can be determined from these two conditions.

For the case where  $R_1 = 10 \text{ k}\Omega$ ,  $R_2 = 100 \text{ k}\Omega$ ,  $C_1 = 1 \text{ nF}$ ,  $L = 2 \text{ mH}$  and  $R = 100 \Omega$ , show that  $H = -1$  and find  $\omega_0$ .

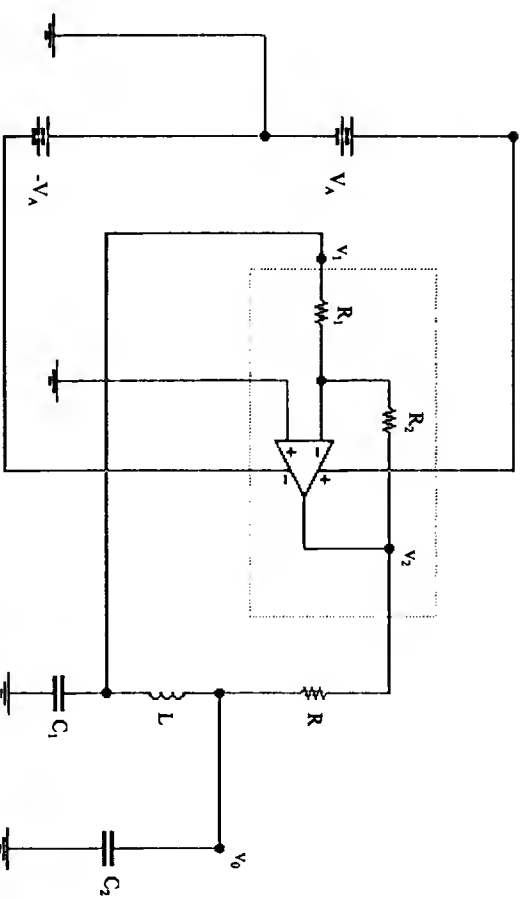


Figure 4a

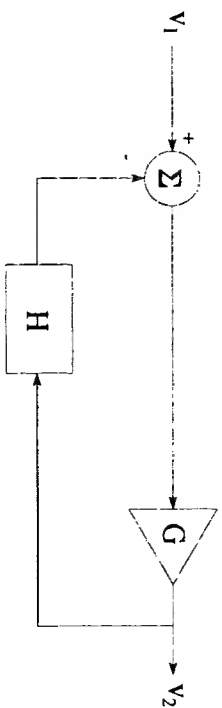


Figure 4b

6. For the cascode amplifier circuit in Figure 6 both npn BJT transistors are biased in the active region, and have the following parameters at the quiescent point:
- $r_{\pi 1} = 805 \Omega$   $r_{\pi 2} = 813 \Omega$   $\beta_1 = \beta_2 = 100$   $C_{\pi 1} = C_{\pi 2} = 0.2 \text{ pF}$   $C_{\mu 1} = C_{\mu 2} = 0.5 \text{ pF}$
- Sketch the mid-band, small-signal a.c. model for this circuit.
  - Find the midband voltage gain,  $G_v = V_{out}/V_{in}$ .
  - Find the input resistance seen by the source.
  - Sketch the high frequency a.c. model for this circuit.
  - Find the equivalent resistance seen by the capacitance  $C_{\pi 2}$ , and find the corresponding cutoff frequency.

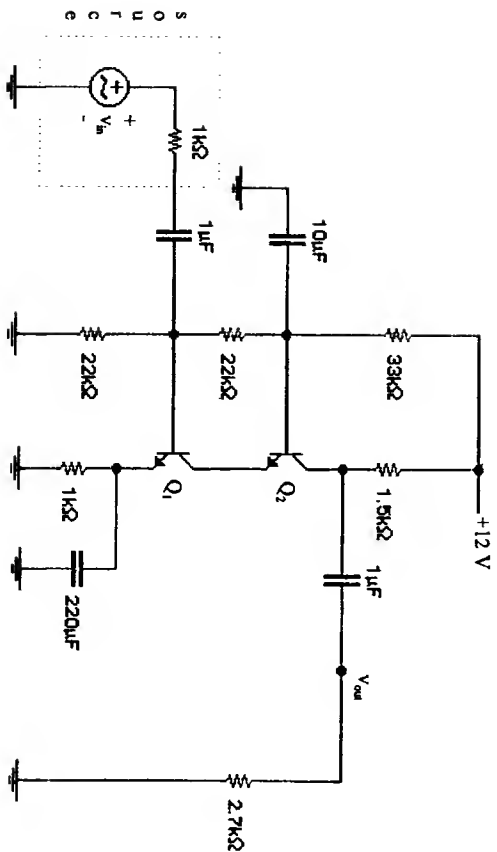


Figure 6

5. Operational amplifiers are the usual way that differential amplifiers are applied in practice. Even though they are differential amplifier devices themselves, they are often built into higher level linear differential amplifier circuits such as the one shown in Figure 5. In this circuit, a differential amplifier circuit is converted into an instrumentation amplifier with the two buffer input stages. Assuming this instrumentation amplifier is used to measure a strain gauge bridge such as might be used by a structural engineer on a support beam, calculate the output of the instrumentation amplifier,  $V_{out}$ , as the beam is loaded given that the unstressed resistance of the strain gauge,  $R = 2 \text{ k}\Omega$ , and the strain gauge resistance changes by  $-1\%$  on the top and  $+1\%$  on the bottom of the beam as the beam is loaded. Show all the steps of your calculations. Assume that all of the operational amplifiers are ideal.

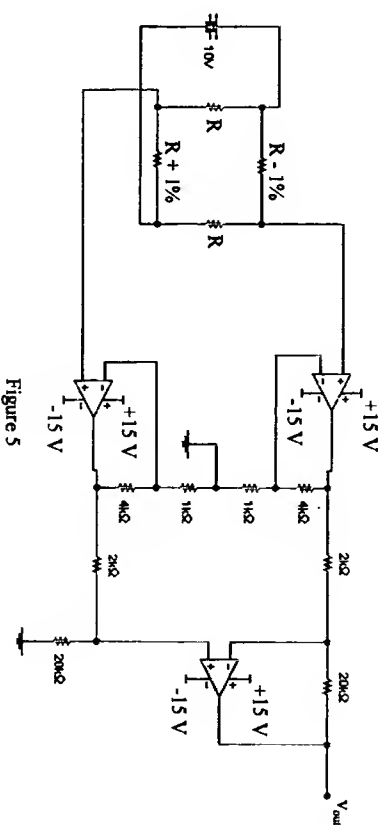


Figure 5

Notes, 80 minutes  
2 or 3 sheets of notes allowed

1. A two stage transistor amplifier circuit is shown in Figure 1.
  - a) What type of transistor is used in i) the first stage, and ii) the second stage?
  - b) In which configuration is the transistor in i) the first stage, and ii) the second stage connected?
  - c) Find the operating point of each transistor.
  - d) Draw the a.c. small signal model (at midband) for this transistor amplifier circuit. The high frequency model for the BJT, JFET, and MOSFET may be found in Figures 2a), b), and c) respectively.

2. For the amplifier circuit shown in Figure 3, assume that the n-channel enhancement mode MOSFET has a transconductance  $g_m = 2 \text{ mS}$ .
  - a) Draw the small signal a.c. model (at midband) for the circuit shown in Figure 3.
  - b) Find the voltage gain,  $G_v = V_{out}/V_{in}$ , the input resistance,  $R_{in}$ , and the output resistance,  $R_{out}$ .
  - c) Redraw the small signal model assuming that  $C_2$  is removed.
  - d) Determine the voltage gain of the circuit in Figure 3 with  $C_2$  removed.

**Bonus Question.**  
For the Darlington cascade in Figure 4, show that when both transistors are active:  
 $I_C = \beta I_B$ , where  $\beta = (\beta_1 + 1)(\beta_2 + 1) - 1$ .  $\beta_1$  and  $\beta_2$  are the static current gains for transistors one and two respectively.

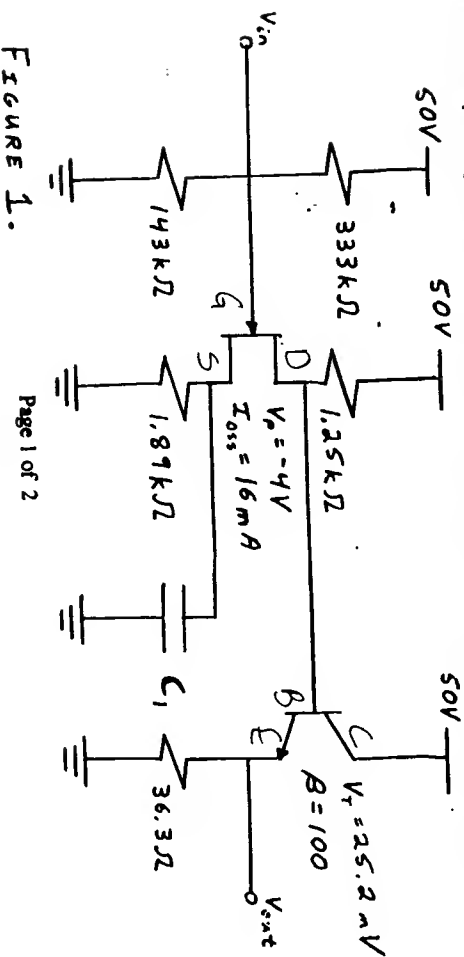


FIGURE 1.

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FIGURE 2.

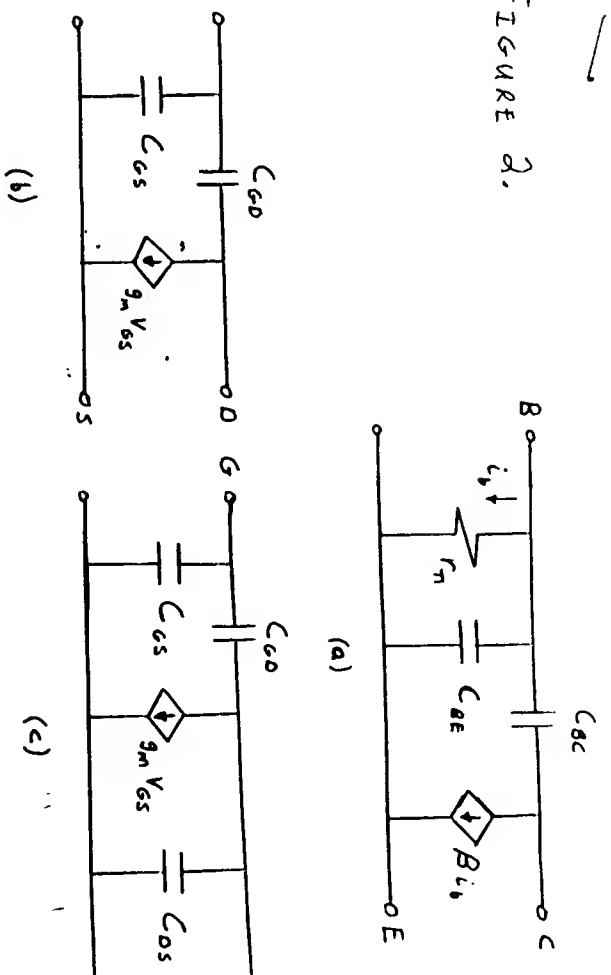


FIGURE 3.

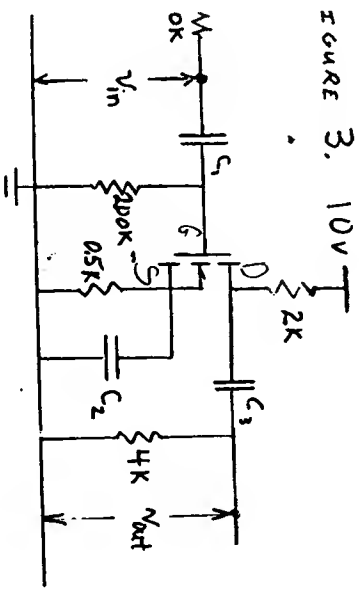
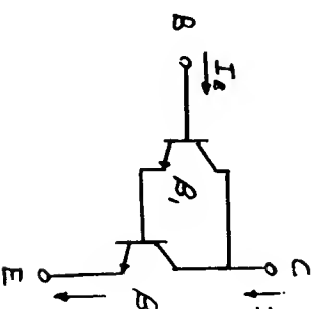


FIGURE 4.



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Instr: H. Wood  
Time: 85 minutes  
Notes: Closed book; 2 pages of notes may be used.

1. The transistor circuit shown in Figure 1a is to be used as an amplifier. For the transistor, the threshold voltage is +3 Volts. The output characteristic for the transistor is shown in Figure 1b.
- a) Describe the type of the transistor and explain how it works to function as a voltage controlled current source.
- b) Does Figure 1b accurately represent the behaviour of the transistor in the ohmic range? Why or why not? What use can be made of this type of transistor operating in the ohmic range? (Describe an original application)
- c) Draw in the space provided in Figure 1c the transfer characteristic for this transistor for a drain-source potential of +4 volts.
- d) For this transistor, evaluate the constant ( $k$ ) in the expression for drain-source current in the saturation region at maximum current. Describe what physical parameters this constant represents.
- e) For values of  $R_1=100k$ ,  $R_2=100k$ ,  $R_3=10.13k$ ,  $R_4=1.67k$ , plot the load line on the appropriate Figure (1b or 1c).
- f) For the same values of resistors as in part e), plot the bias line on the appropriate Figure (1b or 1c). What is the effect on the bias line when the value of  $R_4$  is changed?
- g) What is the operating point for this circuit? (Find graphically or analytically).
- h) What is a reasonable range for an input AC voltage? What is the corresponding range of output voltages for this input range? Sketch the voltage transfer function for this range of inputs and comment on its shape.

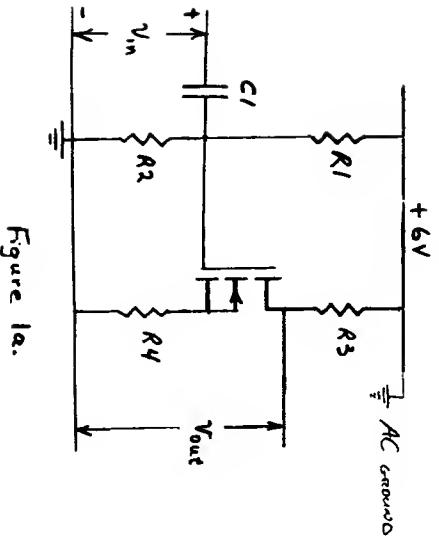


Figure 1a.

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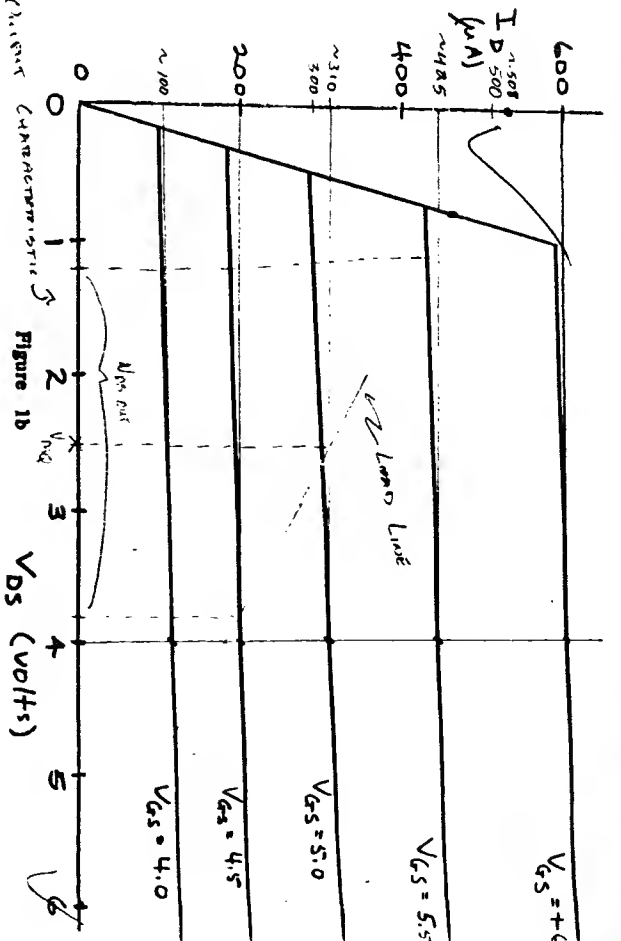


Figure 1b

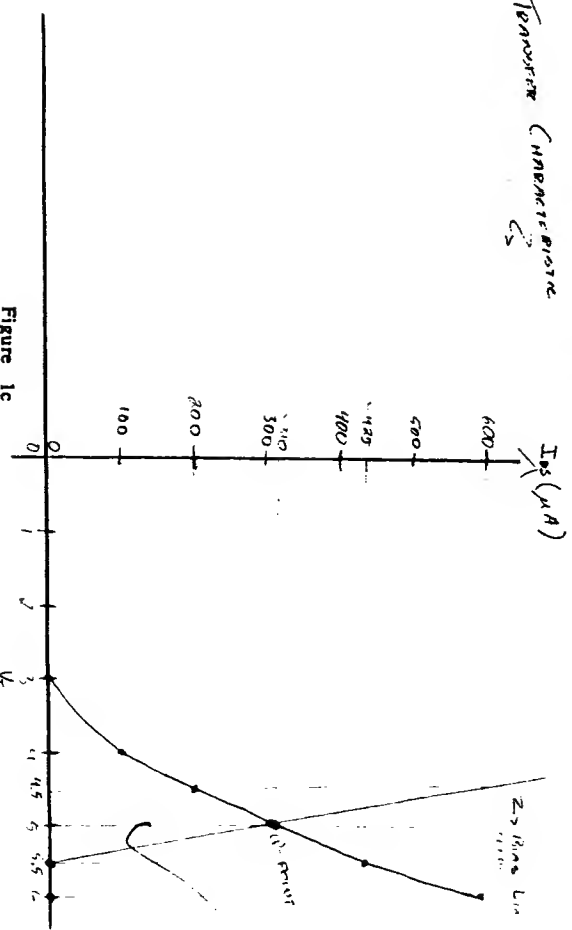


Figure 1c

Notes:

85 minutes (one question)  
2 or 3 sheets of notes allowed

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1. A transistor amplifier circuit is shown in Figure 1a. The output characteristic of the transistor is shown in Figure 1b.
  - a) Briefly describe the type of the transistor and how it works.
  - b) Draw in the space provided in Figure 1c the transfer characteristic of this transistor for a drain-source potential of 3.0 V.
  - c) Given that the operating (quiescent) point for this amplifier is point A in Figure 1b, find the value of resistor  $R_1$  in Figure 1a.
  - d) Draw the load line for the amplifier.
  - e) Draw a small signal equivalent circuit for this amplifier.
  - f) Calculate the small signal voltage gain for a signal frequency of 60 Hz and for a frequency of 6 kHz. *Note:* that the coordinates of point A on the output characteristic are (3 V, 306  $\mu\text{A}$ ) and the coordinates of point B on the same line are (6 V, 316  $\mu\text{A}$ ).

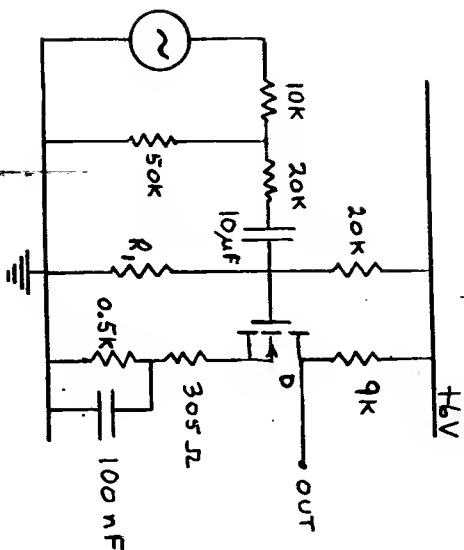


Figure 1a

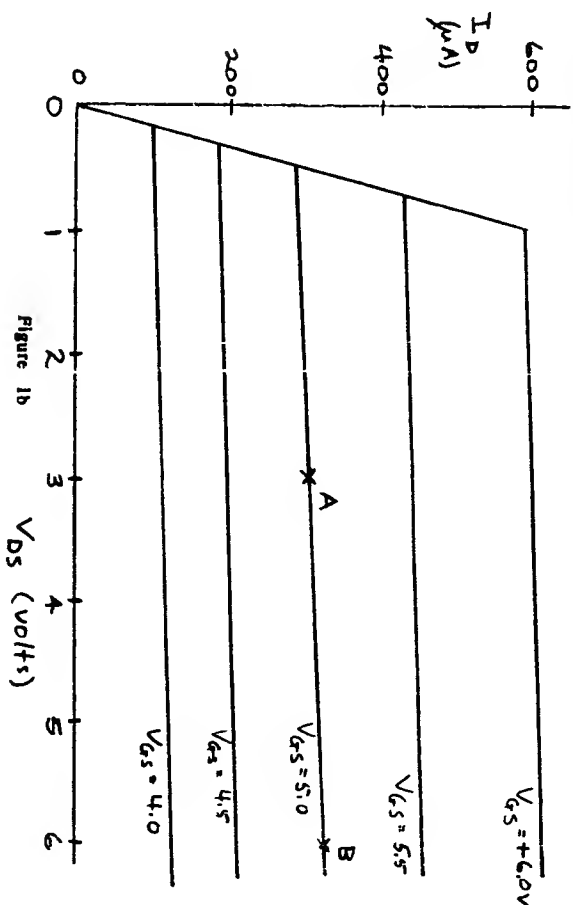


Figure 1b

Figure 1c

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Notes: All questions have equal value,  
Answer any 5 of the 6 questions,  
Closed book examination,  
Hand held calculators are allowed,  
Justify all your answers.

1. In the circuit of Figure 1.a), both transistors are identical. Their high frequency a.c. model is shown in Figure 1.b).
  - a) Knowing that capacitors  $C_1$ ,  $C_2$  and  $C_3$  behave like short-circuits at mid-band, sketch the mid-band, small-signal a.c. model of the circuit and calculate its voltage gain  $V_o(t)/V_i(t)$  as a function of the circuit's components and parameters.
  - b) Sketch the high frequency a.c. model of the circuit and calculate the equivalent resistance seen by capacitance  $C_{\pi}$  of transistor  $Q_1$  as a function of the circuit's components and parameters.

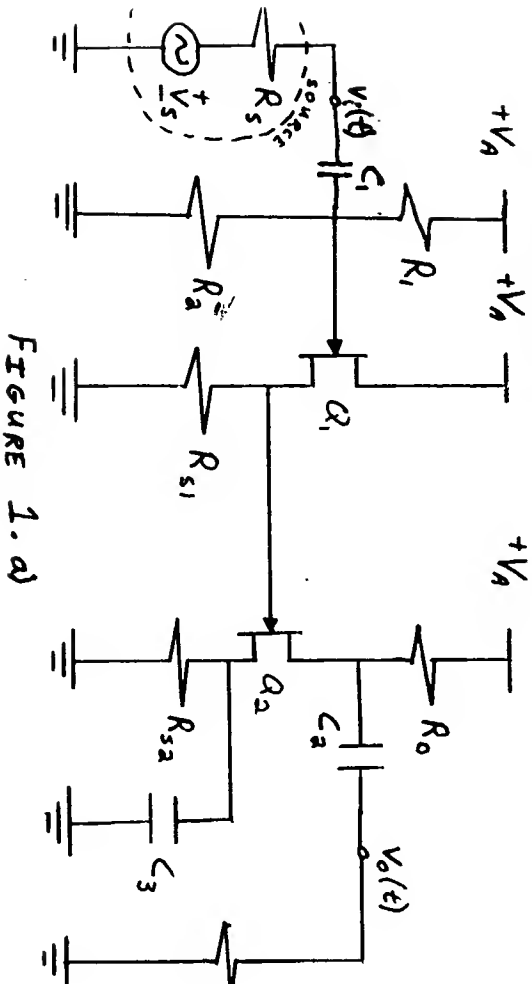


FIGURE 1.a)

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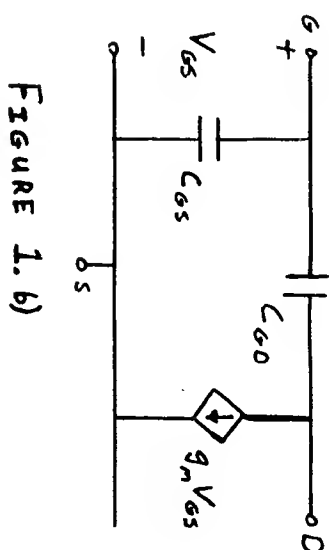


FIGURE 1.b)

2. a) For the common base amplifier circuit shown in Figure 2.a) the transistor is biased in the active region. The high frequency a.c. model of the transistor is given in Figure 2.b).
  - i) Sketch the simplified high frequency small-signal a.c. model of the circuit.
  - ii) Calculate the high cut-off frequency of the amplifier by completing the following table:

Capacitance	Cut-off frequency affected	$R_{eq}$	$(2\pi R_{eq} C_i)^{-1}$	Cut-off frequencies
$C_{\pi}$	$f_{c\pi}$	?	?	$f_{c\pi} = ?$
$C_{\mu}$	$f_{c\mu}$	480 $\Omega$	66 MHz	
$C_1$	$f_{c1}$	54.5 $\Omega$	9.7 kHz	
$C_2$	$f_{c2}$	1.91 k $\Omega$	1.7 kHz	
$C_3$	$f_{c3}$	500 $\Omega$	1.6 kHz	$f_{c3} = 13 \text{ kHz}$

- b) Express  $V_{out}$  as a function of  $V_{in}$ ,  $V_{gs}$  and the components of the circuit of Figure 2.c). Hint: all feedback is negative.

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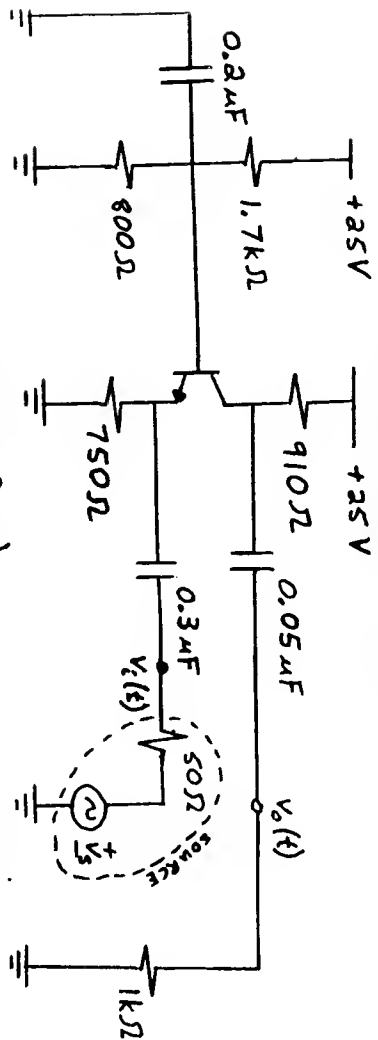


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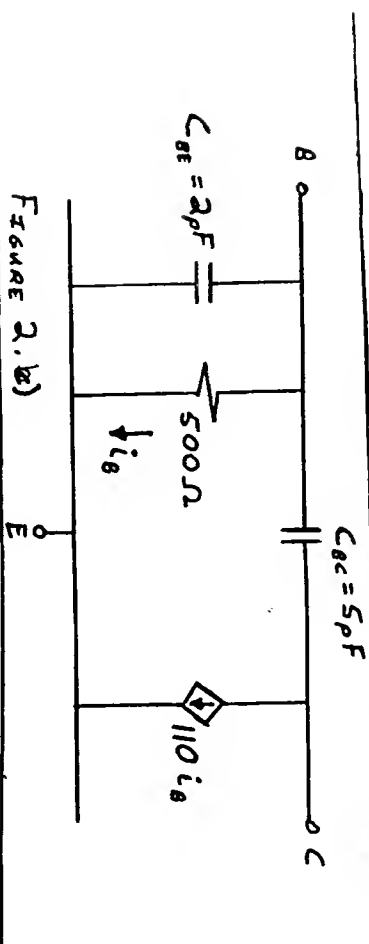


FIGURE 2. b)

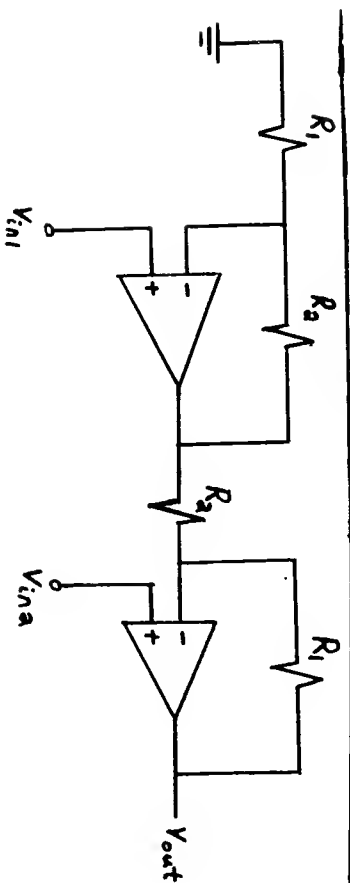


FIGURE 2. c)

3. Consider the circuit of Figure 3. What condition must  $V_{in}$  and  $V_{out}$  satisfy for the diode be forward biased (i.e. the diode is on)? Hint: when the diode is forward biased, all feedback is negative).

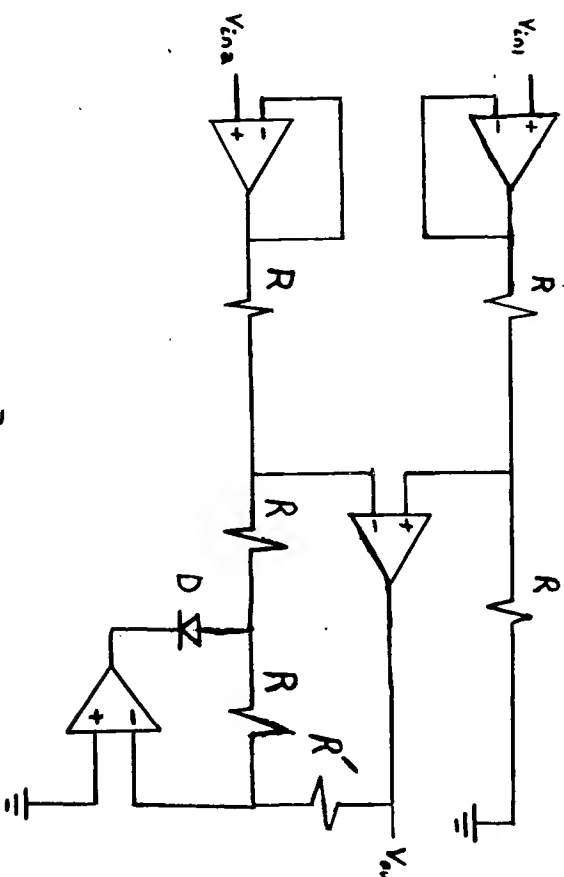


FIGURE 3.

4. The circuit of Figure 4 is a logarithmic amplifier. Although this circuit has not been seen in the course its analysis is quite simple. By answering questions a) through e) you will obtain the expression of  $V_{out}$  as a function of  $V_{in}$ . Both transistors are identical and their static characteristic,  $I_C$  versus  $V_{BE}$  in the active region is given by:

$$I_C = \beta I_S \left( e^{\left(\frac{V_{BE}}{V_T}\right)} - 1 \right) \approx \beta I_S e^{\left(\frac{V_{BE}}{V_T}\right)}$$

where  $I_S$  is the inverse saturation current in the base of the transistor,  $\beta$  is the static current gain ( $\beta \gg 1$ ), and  $V_T$  is the thermal voltage ( $V_T = 25.2$  mV at  $20^\circ\text{C}$ ).

We first notice that when  $V_{in} > 0$  and  $V_{out} \gg 1$  volt, then  $Q_1$  and  $Q_2$  are active and the feedback on both operational amplifiers is negative. Moreover, we see from Ohm's Law that:

$$I_{R2} = \frac{V_{REF} - V_A}{R_2}$$

a) Show that  $I_{C2} = \left(\frac{\beta}{\beta+1}\right) I_{R2}$ . Since  $\beta \gg 1$  conclude that  $I_{C2} \approx \frac{V_{REF} - V_A}{R_2}$ .

b) Show that  $I_{C1} = V_{in}/R_1$ .

c) Use the results of a) and b) to show that:

$$\begin{aligned} V_{BE1} &= V_T \ln \left( \frac{V_{in}}{\beta I_S R_1} \right) \\ V_{BE2} &= V_T \ln \left( \frac{V_{REF} - V_A}{\beta I_S R_2} \right) \end{aligned}$$

d) By noticing that  $V_A = V_{BE2} - V_{BE1}$ , use the result of c) to express  $V_A$  as a function of  $V_{in}$  and the circuit's components and parameters.

e) Show that when  $V_{out} \gg V_{in}$ ,  $V_{out}$  is given by:

$$V_{out} = \frac{-V_T (R_2 + R_3)}{R_3} \ln \left( \frac{R_2}{R_1} \frac{V_{in}}{V_{REF}} \right)$$

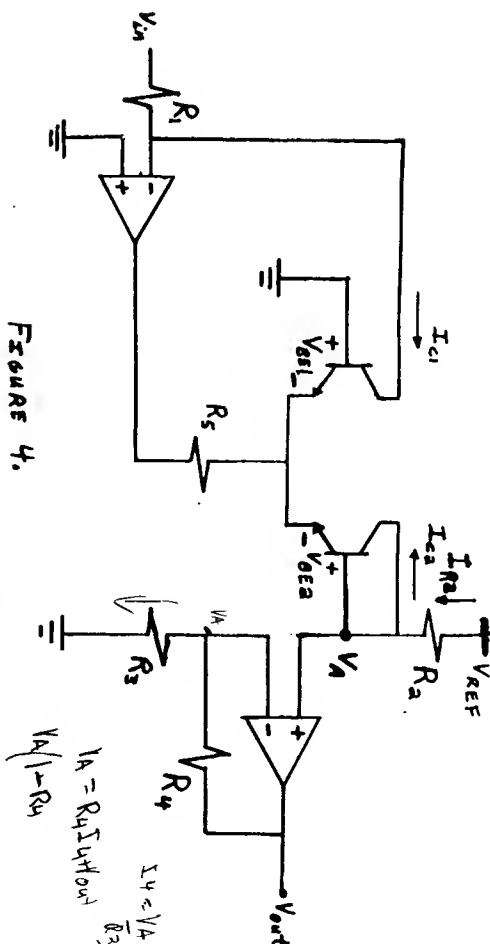


FIGURE 4.

5. In the circuit of Figure 5,  $H(\omega)$  represents a linear time-invariant system whose frequency response is given by:

$$H(\omega) = \left( \frac{\omega}{4\omega_c} \right) \left( \frac{2 + j\left(\frac{\omega}{\omega_c}\right)}{8 + j\left(\frac{\omega}{\omega_c}\right)^2} \right)$$

where  $\omega_c = 2\pi \cdot 10^3$  rad/s. Calculate the frequency at which the circuit can oscillate, and determine the condition that  $R_1$  and  $R_2$  must satisfy for the circuit to oscillate.

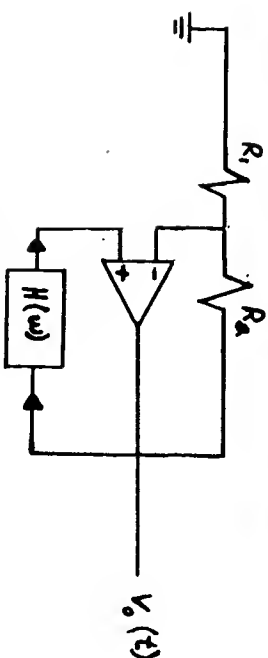


FIGURE 5.

6. The circuit of Figure 6.a) is an astable oscillator. The relation between  $v_2(t)$  and  $v_1(t)$  is given by:

$$v_2(t) = \frac{-1}{RC} \int v_1(t) dt$$

and the relation between  $v_1(t)$  and  $v_2(t)$  is sketched in Figure 6.b). Express the oscillating frequency of the circuit as a function of the circuit's components and parameters.

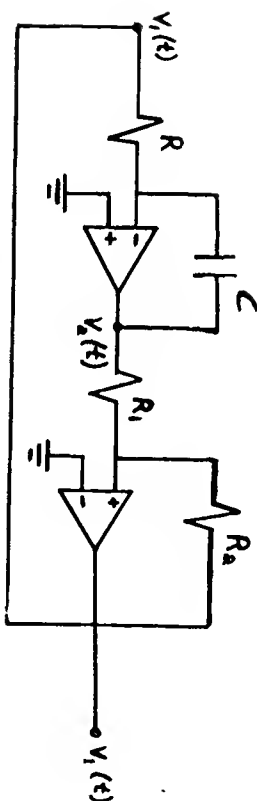


Figure 6.a)

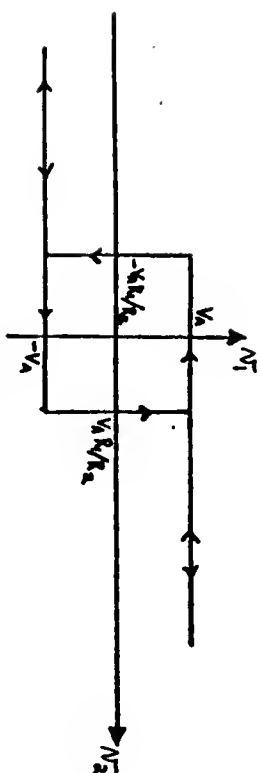


figure 6b

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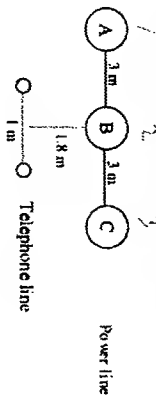
Time: 1.5 hours

Note: A formula sheet(s) allowed.

1. Three identical single-phase transformers, each rated  $1.2\text{ kV}/120\text{ V}$ ,  $7.2\text{ kVA}$  and having a leakage reactance of  $0.05$  per unit, are connected together to form a three-phase transformer bank. A balanced  $Y$ -connected load of  $5\text{ ohms}$  per phase is connected across the secondary of the bank. Determine the  $Y$ -equivalent per-phase impedance (in ohms and in per unit) seen from the primary side when the transformer bank is connected (a)  $Y$ - $Y$ , (b)  $Y$ - $\Delta$ , (c)  $\Delta$ - $Y$ , and (d)  $\Delta$ - $\Delta$ .

2. A three-phase line is designed with equilateral spacing of  $16\text{ m}$ . It is decided to build the line with horizontal spacing ( $D_{12} = 2D_{13} = 2D_{23}$ ). The conductors are transposed. What should be the spacing between adjacent conductors in order to obtain the same inductance as in the original design?

3. A three phase  $60\text{ Hz}$  overhead power line is symmetrically supported on a horizontal cross arm. Spacing of the conductors of the power line is  $D_{12} = 2D_{13} = 2D_{23}$ , and equivalent equilateral spacing is  $3\text{ m}$ . A telephone line is also symmetrically supported on a horizontal cross arm  $1.8\text{ m}$  directly below the power line as shown in the figure below. Spacing between the centres of these conductors is  $1.0\text{ m}$ . If the current in the power line is  $150\text{ A}$ , find the voltage per kilometre induced in the telephone line. Discuss the phase relation of the induced voltage with respect to the power line current.



December 2001

Instructor: T. Sidhu

Notes: Formula sheet permitted

All questions are of equal value

- Q1. The one-line diagram of a three-phase power system is as shown in Figure 1. The transformer reactance is 20 percent on a base of 100 MVA, 23/115 kV and the line impedance is  $Z = j66.125 \Omega$ . The load at bus 2 is  $S_2 = 184.8 \text{ MW} + j6.6 \text{ Mvar}$ , and at bus 3 is  $S_3 = 0 \text{ MW} + j20 \text{ Mvar}$ . It is required to hold the voltage at bus 3 at 115.209 kV. Working in per-unit, determine the voltage at buses 2 and 1.

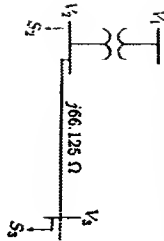


Fig. 1

- Q2. One circuit of a single-phase transmission line is composed of three solid 0.5-cm radius wires. The return circuit is composed of two solid 2.5-cm radius wires. The arrangement of conductors is as shown in Figure 2. Applying the concept of the GMD and GMR, find the inductance of the complete line in millihenry per kilometer.

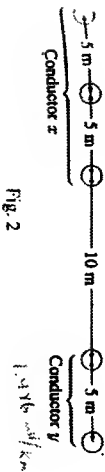


Fig. 2

- Q3. A three-phase transposed line is composed of one ACSR 159,000-cmil, 54/19 Lapwing conductor per phase with flat horizontal spacing of 8 m as shown in Figure 3. The GMR of each conductor is 1.515 cm.

- (a) Determine the inductance per phase per kilometer of the line.

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- (b) This line is to be replaced by a two-conductor bundle with 8 m spacing measured from the center of the bundles as shown in Figure 4. The spacing between the conductors in the bundle is 40 cm. If the line inductance per phase is to be 77 percent of the inductance in part (a), what would be the GMR of each new conductor in the bundle?

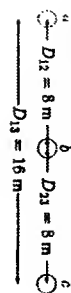


Fig. 3

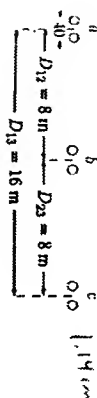


Fig. 4

4. The ABCD constants of a lossless three-phase, 500-kV transmission line are  
 $A = D = 0.86 + j0$   
 $B = 0 + j130.2$   
 $C = j0.002$   
 (a) Obtain the sending end quantities and the voltage regulation when line delivers 1000 MVA at 0.8 lagging power factor at 500 kV.

To improve the line performance, series capacitors are installed at both ends in each phase of the transmission line. As a result of this, the compensated ABCD constants become

$$\begin{bmatrix} A' & B' \\ C' & D' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -j1/2X \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -j1/2X \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Where  $X_c$  is the total reactance of the series capacitor. If  $X_c = 100 \Omega$

- (b) Determine the compensated ABCD constants.  
 (c) Determine the sending end quantities and the voltage regulation when line delivers 1000 MVA at 0.8 lagging power factor at 500 kV.

$$\begin{aligned} X_c &= 100 \Omega \\ X_c &= 100 \Omega \\ X_c &= 100 \Omega \end{aligned}$$



5. A three-phase 420-kV, 60-HZ transmission line is 463 km long and may be assumed lossless. The line is energized with 420 kV at the sending end. When the load at the receiving end is removed, the voltage at the receiving end is 700 kV, and the per phase sending end current is  $646.6 \angle 90^\circ$  A.
- (a) Find the phase constant  $\beta$  in radians per km and the surge impedance  $Z_c$  in  $\Omega$ .
  - (b) Ideal reactors are to be installed at the receiving end to keep  $|V_S| = |V_R| = 420$  kV when load is removed. Determine the reactance per phase and the required three-phase kvar.

UNIVERSITY OF SASKATCHEWAN  
ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING 304.3  
POWER SYSTEMS I

Midterm Examination

Feb. 2001

**Time:** 1.5 hours  
**Instructor:** T.S. Sidhu  
**Notes:** Formula sheet(s) is allowed.  
Answer all questions.

1. The one-line diagram of an unloaded power system is shown in Figure 1. Reactances of the lines are shown in the diagram. The generators and transformers are rated as follows:

Generator 1: 30 MVA, 18 kV,  $X = 20\%$

Generator 2: 20 MVA, 18 kV,  $X = 15\%$

Generator 3: 20 MVA, 15 kV,  $X = 20\%$

Three-phase Y-Y transformers: 20 MVA, 138Y/20Y kV,  $X=10\%$

Three-phase Y- $\Delta$  transformers: 15 MVA, 138Y/13.8 $\Delta$  kV,  $X=10\%$

- (a) Draw an equivalent circuit representation of this power system using ohmic values and ideal transformers.
- (b) Convert the circuit in part (a) to one where the parameters are expressed in per unit. Use a base value of 100 kVA, 138 kV in the 40  $\Omega$  line.

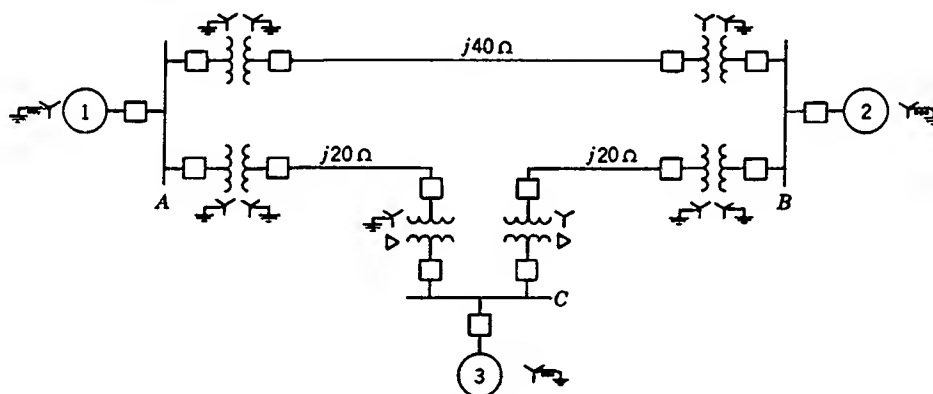


Fig. 1.

2. A balanced delta-connected load consisting of pure resistances of 18 ohms per phase is in parallel with a purely resistive balanced wye-connected load of 12 ohms per phase. The combination is connected to a three-phase balanced supply of 346.41 V rms (line-to-line) via a three-phase line having an inductive reactance of  $j3.0$  ohms per phase. Taking the phase voltage  $V_{an}$  as reference, determine

- (a) The current, real power, and reactive power drawn from the supply.
- (b) The line-to-neutral and the line-to-line voltage of phase 'a' at the combined load terminals.

3. A three-phase 60-Hz line has its conductors arranged in a triangular formation so that two of the distances between centers of the conductors are 10 m and the third distance is 15 m. Each conductor is composed of seven equal strands. The diameter of each strand is 0.5 cm.

- (i) Show that the GMR for the conductor is 2.177 times the radius of each strand.
- (ii) Find the inductance of the line in mH/km.
- (iii) It is decided to build the line with horizontal spacing ( $D_{13} = 2D_{12} = 2D_{23}$ ). The line is transposed. What should be the spacing between adjacent conductors in order to obtain the same inductance as in the original design described earlier.



April 2001

Instructor: T.S. Sidhu  
Time: 3 hrs.  
Notes: A formula sheet is allowed.

1. The three-phase power and line-line ratings of the electrical power system shown in Figure 1 are given below.

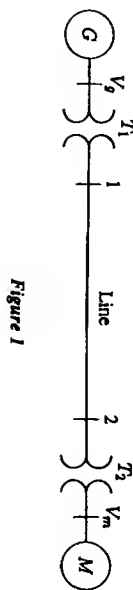


Figure 1

G <sub>I</sub> :	60 MVA	20 kV	X = 9%	0.15
T <sub>1</sub> :	50 MVA	20/200 kV	X = 10%	0.2
T <sub>2</sub> :	50 MVA	200/20 kV	X = 10%	0.2
M:	43.2 MVA	18 kV	X = 8%	0.15
Line:		200 kV	Z = 120 + j200 Ω	0.3 + j0.5

- (a) Draw an impedance diagram showing all impedances in per-unit on a 100-MVA base. Choose 20 kV as the voltage base for generator.
- (b) The motor is drawing 45 MVA, 0.80 power factor lagging at a line-to-line terminal voltage of 18 kV. Determine the terminal voltage and the internal emf of the generator in per-unit and in kV.  $E_m = 6.64 - 4.217 \angle 0^\circ$  kV  $0.33 \angle -0.27$  pu
- $V_g = 6.95 \angle 35.2^\circ$  kV  $V_g = 0.3295 \angle 35.2^\circ$  pu
2. A three-phase transposed line is composed of one ACSR 159,000-cmil, 54/19 Lapwing conductor per phase with flat horizontal spacing of 8 m as shown in Figure 2. The GMR of each conductor is 1.515 cm.

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- (a) Determine the inductance per phase per kilometer of the line.
- (b) This line is to be replaced by a two-conductor bundle with 8 m spacing measured from the center of the bundles as shown in Figure 3. The spacing between the conductors in the bundle is 40 cm. If the line inductance per phase is to be 77 percent of the inductance in part (a), what would be the GMR of each new conductor in the bundle?

$$GMR = 1.14 \text{ cm}$$

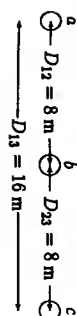


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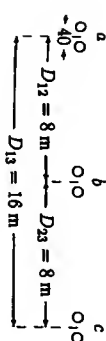


Figure 3

3. The conductors of a double-circuit three-phase transmission line are placed on the corner of a hexagon as shown in Figure 4. The two circuits are in parallel and are sharing the balanced load equally. The conductors of the circuits are identical, each having a radius  $r$ . Assume that the line is symmetrically transposed. Using the method of GMD, determine an expression for the capacitance per phase per meter of the line.

$$q = \rho \frac{E}{r}$$

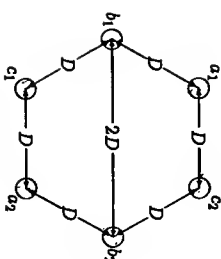


Figure 4

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4. The ABCD constants of a lossless three-phase, 500-kV transmission line are

$$\begin{aligned} A = D &= 0.86 + j0 \\ B &= 0 + j130.2 \\ C &= j0.002 \end{aligned}$$

- (a) Obtain the sending end quantities and the voltage regulation when line delivers

1000 MVA at 0.8 lagging power factor at 500 kV.

$$V_S = 632.4 \angle 34.8^\circ \text{ V} \quad I_S = 2670.6 \angle -26.9^\circ \text{ A}$$

To improve the line performance, series capacitors are installed at both ends in each phase of the transmission line. As a result of this, the compensated ABCD constants become

$$\begin{bmatrix} A' & B' \\ C' & D' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\frac{1}{2}jX_c \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\frac{1}{2}jX_c \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

where  $X_c$  is the total reactance of the series capacitor. If  $X_c = 100 \Omega$

- (b) Determine the compensated ABCD constants.  
 $A' = D' = 0.76 \quad B' = j39.2 \quad C' = j0.002$

- (c) Determine the sending end quantities and the voltage regulation when line delivers 1000 MVA at 0.8 lagging power factor at 500 kV.

$$\begin{aligned} V_S &= 374.6 \angle 216.8^\circ \text{ V} \\ I_S &= 3014.2 \angle -28.1^\circ \text{ A} \end{aligned}$$

5. (a) Two plants are interconnected by a transmission line as shown in Figure 5.

The only load is located at plant 2. When 350 MW is transmitted from plant 1 to plant 2, power loss in the line is 20 MW. Compute the required generation from plant 1 and plant 2 for economic operation if the load to be supplied is 500 MW.

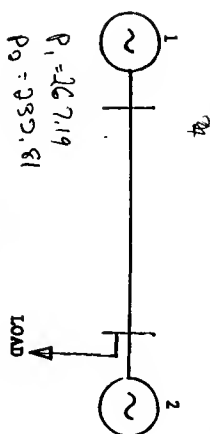


Figure 5

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Assume the incremental fuel costs can be given as follows:

$$\frac{dF_1}{dP_1} = 0.01 P_1 + 9.0 \text{ \$/MWh}$$

$$\frac{dF_2}{dP_2} = 0.015 P_2 + 8.0 \text{ \$/MWh}$$

- (b) Determine the required generation from plant 1 and plant 2 to supply a load of 500 MW when the transmission losses are not included in "economic scheduling". However, these losses are to be supplied by the plants.

$$\begin{aligned} P_1 &= 267.2 \\ P_2 &= 232.8 \end{aligned}$$

\*\*\* The End \*\*\*

February 2000

Time: 1.5 hrs.  
Note: All questions are of equal value.

1. Consider a single-phase load with an applied voltage  $v(t) = 150 \cos(\omega t + 10^\circ)$  volts and load current  $i(t) = 5 \cos(\omega t - 50^\circ)$  A.
  - (a) Determine the real and reactive power. Show and indicate if each power is being absorbed or supplied.
  - (b) Find the power factor and specify whether it is leading or lagging.
  - (c) Calculate the reactive power supplied by capacitors in parallel with the load that changes the power factor to 0.9 lagging.
2. Three identical single-phase transformers, each rated 1.2 kV/120V, 7.2 kVA and having a leakage reactance of  $0.05 \text{ per unit}$ , are connected ~~to~~ form a three-phase bank. A balanced Y-connected load of  $5\Omega$  per phase is connected across the secondary of the bank. Determine the Y-equivalent per-phase impedance (in ohms and in per unit) seen from the primary side when the transformer bank is connected as:
  - (a) Y-Y
  - (b) Y- $\Delta$
  - (c)  $\Delta$ -Y, and
  - (d)  $\Delta$ - $\Delta$
3. (i) A 60 Hz single-phase, two-wire overhead line has solid cylindrical copper conductors with 1.5 cm. diameter. The conductors are arranged in horizontal configuration with 0.5 m spacing. Calculate in mH/km:
  - (a) the inductance of each conductor due to internal flux linkages only,
  - (b) inductance of each conductor due to both internal and external flux linkages, and
  - (c) the total inductance of the line.
- (ii) Redo (i) if the diameter of each conductor is:
  - (a) increased by 25% to 1.875 cm,
  - (b) decreased by 25% to 1.125 cm, without changing the phase spacing.

April 2000

Instructor: T.S. Sidhu  
Time: 3 hrs.  
Notes: Formula sheet(s) is allowed.  
Answer **all** questions; all questions are of equal value.  
Show all the steps used for arriving at the solution.

1. (a) The single-line diagram of the power system is shown in Figure 1. Equipment ratings are as follows:

Generator 1: 750MVA, 18kV,  $X = 0.2 \text{ p.u.}$   
Generator 2: 750MVA, 18kV,  $X = 0.2 \text{ p.u.}$   
Syn. Motor 3: 1500MVA, 20kV,  $X = 0.2 \text{ p.u.}$

3-phase  $\Delta$ -Y transformers: 750MVA, 500kV Y/20kV $\Delta$ ,  
( $T_1, T_2, T_3, T_4$ )  $X = 0.1 \text{ p.u.}$

3-phase Y-Y transformers: 1500MVA, 500kV Y/20kVY,  
( $T_5$ )  $X = 0.1 \text{ p.u.}$

Draw the reactance diagram and determine the per unit reactances by using a base of 100MVA and 500kV for the 40-ohm line.

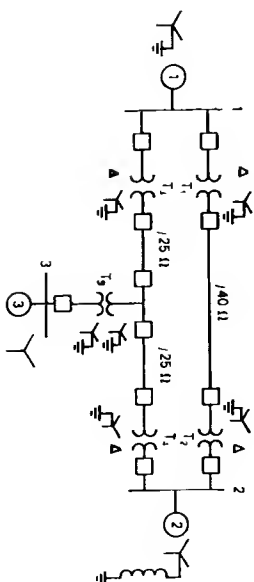


Figure 1

- (b) For the power system in Problem 1(a), the synchronous motor absorbs 1200MW at 0.8 power factor leading with the bus 3 voltage at 18kV. Determine the bus 1 and bus 2 voltages in kV. Assume that generators 1 and 2 deliver equal real powers and equal reactive powers. Assume a balanced three-phase system.
2. (a) Find the GMR of each of the unconventional conductors shown in Figure 2 in terms of a (the envelope radius).

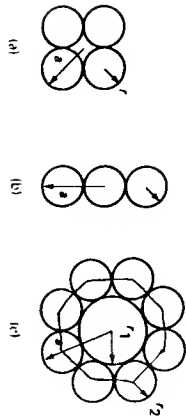


Figure 2

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$$r_{91} = \frac{L}{4\pi \ln \left( \frac{150}{a} \right)}$$

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$$r_{97} = \frac{L}{4\pi \ln \left( \frac{150}{a} \right)}$$

$$r_{98} = \frac{L}{4\pi \ln \left( \frac{150}{a} \right)}$$

$$r_{99} = \frac{L}{4\pi \ln \left( \frac{150}{a} \right)}$$

$$r_{100} = \frac{L}{4\pi \ln \left( \frac{150}{a} \right)}$$

- (b) Determine the inductance in H/Km of the double-circuit line shown in Figure 3. The radius of each conductor is 0.03 m.

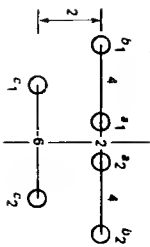


Figure 3

Note: -Assume that the line is transposed.  
-All distances in meters.

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3. (a) A 500-km 500-kV, 60-Hz three-phase uncompensated line has a series impedance  $z = 0.03 + j0.35\Omega/\text{km}$  and a shunt admittance  $y = j4.4 \times 10^{-6}/\text{km}$ . Calculate: (i)  $\gamma$ , the exact ABCD parameters of this line.
- (b) At full load, the line in Problem 3(a) delivers 1000MW at unity p.f. and at 475 kV. Calculate: (i) the sending-end voltage, (ii) the sending-end current, (iii) the sending-end power factor and (iv) the percentage voltage regulation.
- (c) Recalculate the percentage voltage regulation when identical shunt reactors are installed at both ends of the line during light loads, providing 70% total compensation. The reactors are removed at full load.
4. (a) A power system has only two generating plants, and power is being dispatched economically with  $P_1 = 140\text{MW}$  and  $P_2 = 250\text{MW}$ . The loss coefficients are:

$$B_{11} = 0.10 \times 10^{-2} \text{ MW}^{-1}$$

$$B_{12} = -0.01 \times 10^{-2} \text{ MW}^{-1}$$

$$B_{22} = 0.13 \times 10^{-2} \text{ MW}^{-1}$$

To raise the total load on the system by 1MW will cost an additional \$12 per hour. Find: (a) the penalty factor for plant 1, and (b) the additional cost per hour to increase the output of this plant by 1MW.

A power system is operating on economic load dispatch with a system incremental cost of \$12.5 per megawatt hour. If raising the output of plant 2 by 100KW (while other outputs are kept constant) results in increased  $|I|^2 R$  losses of 12KW for the system, what is the approximate additional cost per hour if the output of this plant is increased by 1MW?

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UNIVERSITY OF SASKATCHEWAN  
ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING 304.3  
POWER SYSTEMS I

Midterm Examination

March 1999

Time: 2 hours

Instructor: T.S. Sidhu

Notes: Formula sheet(s) is allowed.

Answer all questions.

1. A balanced delta-connected load consisting of pure resistances of 18 ohms per phase is in parallel with a purely resistive balanced wye-connected load of 12 ohms per phase as shown in Fig. 1. The combination is connected to a three-phase balanced supply of 346.41 V rms (line-to-line) via a three-phase line having an inductive reactance of  $j3.0$  ohms per phase. Taking the phase voltage  $V_{an}$  as reference, determine

- The current, real power, and reactive power drawn from the supply.
- The line-to-neutral and the line-to-line voltage of phase 'a' at the combined load terminals.

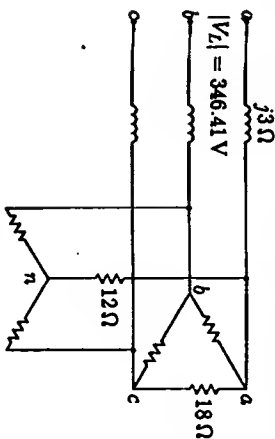


Fig. 1.

2. (a) The one-line diagram of a three-phase power system is shown in Fig. 2. Impedances are marked in per-unit on a 100-MVA, 400-kV base. The load at bus 2 is  $S_2 = 15.93 \text{ MW} - j33.4 \text{ MVar}$ , and at bus 3 is  $S_3 = 77 \text{ MW} + j14 \text{ MVar}$ . It is required to hold the voltage at bus 3 at  $400 \angle 0^\circ \text{ kV}$ . Working in per unit, determine the voltages at buses 2 and 1 (in per-unit and in kV).

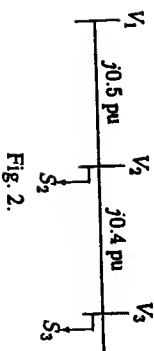


Fig. 2.

3. A three-phase, 60-Hz transposed transmission line has a flat horizontal configuration as shown in Fig. 3. The line reactance is 0.486 ohms per kilometer. The conductor geometric mean radius is 2.0 cm. Determine the phase spacing  $D$  in meters.

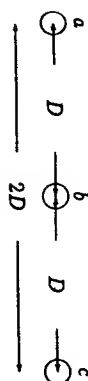


Fig. 3

4. A 60-Hz single-phase power line and a telephone line are parallel to each other as shown in Fig. 4. The telephone line is symmetrically positioned directly below conductor b. The power line carries an rms current of 226 A. Assume zero current flows in the ungrounded telephone wires. Find the magnitude of the voltage per kilometer induced in the telephone line.

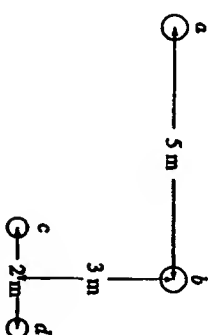


Fig. 4.

University of Saskatchewan  
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EE 304 - Power Systems I  
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February 1998

Instructor: T.S. Sidhu  
Time Allowed: 2 hours  
Note: Answer all questions; formula sheet is allowed.

Marks

- (25) 1. The one-line diagram of a three-phase system is shown in Figure 1. The ratings and impedance values of various elements are also shown in this figure.
- Draw an equivalent circuit representation of this power system using ideal transformers and ohmic values of impedances.
  - Convert the circuit in part (a) to one where the parameters are expressed in per unit. Use a base of 100 MVA and 15 kV in the motor circuit.
- (15) 2. A balanced three-phase load consisting of an impedance of  $30 + j30\Omega/\text{phase}$  is connected to a 12.47-kV three-phase, four wire wye-connected source. A power factor correction capacitor bank having an impedance of  $-j74\Omega/\text{phase}$  is connected to the load bus in parallel with the load. The feeder supplying this load has an impedance of  $1.5 + j4.0\Omega/\text{phase}$ . *PHASE SEQ ANX*
- Line current in phases A, B and C of the feeder.
  - Line to neutral voltage of phase A at the load.
  - Active and reactive power consumed at the load bus.
  - Active power loss per phase occurring in the feeder.

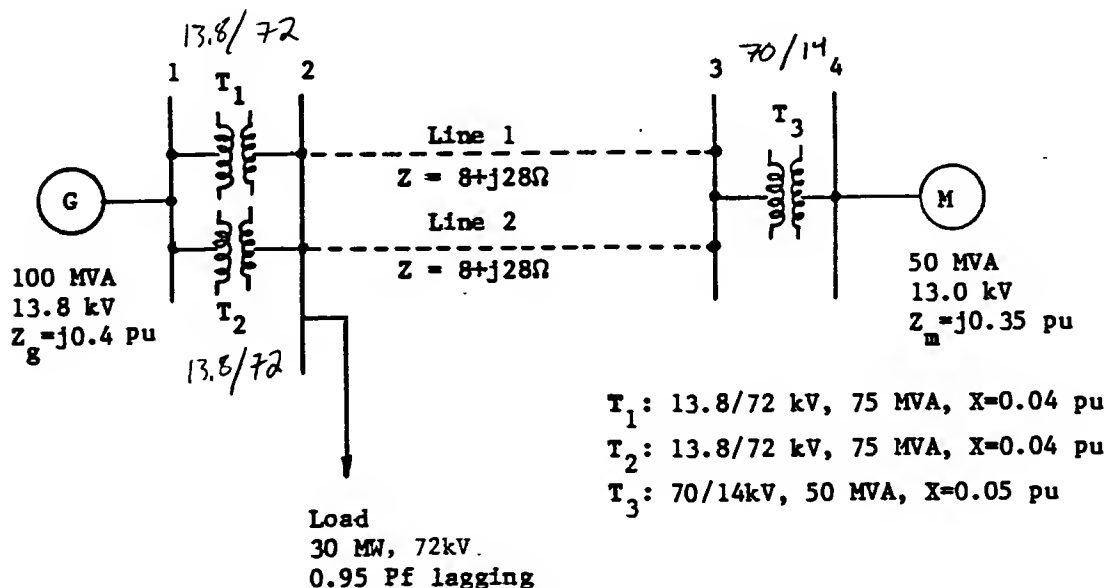


Figure 1

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April 1999

Instructor: T.S. Sidhu

Time Allowed: 3 hours

Notes: All questions are of equal value.

Show all the steps used to arrive at the solution.

Formula sheet(s) are allowed.

- Q1. The three-phase power and line-line ratings of the electric power system shown in Figure 1 are given below:

G<sub>1</sub>: 60 MVA, 20 kV, X = 9%  
T<sub>1</sub>: 50 MVA, 20/200 kV, X = 10%  
T<sub>2</sub>: 50 MVA, 200/20 kV, X = 10%  
M: 43.2 MVA, 18 kV, X = 8%  
Line: 200 kV, Z = 120 + j 200 Ω

- (a) Draw an impedance diagram showing all impedances in per-unit on a 100-MVA base. Choose 20 kV as the base voltage for generator.

- (b) The motor is drawing 45 MVA, 0.8 power factor lagging at a line-to-line terminal voltage of 18 kV. Determine the terminal voltage and the internal EMF of the generator in per-unit and in kV.

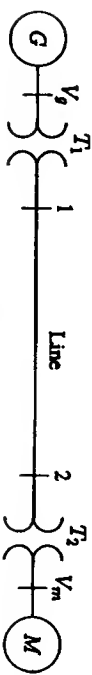


Figure 1

- Q2. A three-phase, 60-Hz untransposed transmission line runs in parallel with a telephone line for 20 km. The power line carries a balanced three-phase rms current of  $I_L = 320 \angle 0^\circ$  A,  $I_b = 320 \angle -120^\circ$  A and  $I_c = 320 \angle 240^\circ$  A. The line configuration is as shown in Figure 2. Assume zero current flows in the ungrounded telephone wires. Find the magnitude of the voltage induced in the telephone line.

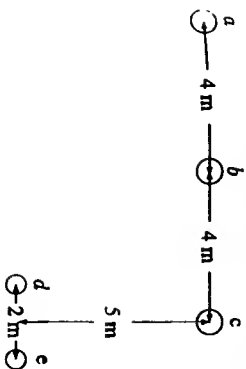


Figure 2

- Q3. (a) Two single-phase lines are running parallel to each other as shown in Figure 3.

The radius of each conductor is  $r$  meters. Other distances are as marked in Figure 3 and are in meters. Consider that the charge on conductors of Line 2 is half of that of the conductors of Line 1. Derive an expression for capacitance to neutral for Line 1 in terms of conductor radius ( $r$ ) and other distances (i.e.  $D_1$ ,  $D$  and  $D_2$ ).

- (b) Using the expression derived in (a), determine the value of capacitance to neutral of Line 1 if

$r = 2.5$  cm  
 $D_1 = D_2 = 5$  m  
 $D = 10$  m

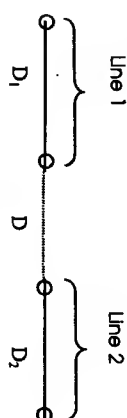


Figure 3

- Q4.

A 220-kV, three-phase transmission line has a per phase series impedance of  $z = 0.05 + j 0.45 \Omega$  per km and a per phase shunt admittance of  $y = j 3.4 \times 10^{-6}$  siemens per km. The line is 80 km long. Using the nominal- $\pi$  model, determine:

- (a) The transmission line ABCD constants.  
(b) Find the sending-end voltage and current; voltage regulation, the sending-end power and the transmission efficiency when line delivers 200 MVA, 0.8 lagging power factor at 220 kV.  
(c) Shunt capacitors are installed at the receiving end to improve line performance. Determine the total Mvar and the capacitance per phase of the Y-connected capacitors when sending end voltage is 220 kV. The line delivers 200 MVA, 0.8 lagging power factor at 220 kV.

- Q5. The fuel-costs in \$/h for two 800 MW thermal plants are given by:

$$F_1 = 400 + 6.0 P_1 + 0.004 P_1^2$$

$$F_2 = 500 + \beta P_2 + \gamma P_2^2$$

where  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  are in MW.

- (a) If the incremental cost of power ( $\lambda$ ) is \$8/MWh when the total power demand is 550 MW neglecting losses, determine the optimal generation of each plant.  
(b) If the incremental cost of power ( $\lambda$ ) is \$10/MWh when the total power demand is 1300 MW neglecting losses, determine the optimal generation of each plant.  
(c) From the results of (a) and (b) find the value of coefficients  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$  for the fuel-cost of the second plant.

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Notes: Formula sheet(s) allowed.

Answer all questions; all questions are of equal value.  
Show all the steps used to arrive at the solution.

The one-line diagram of a three-phase system is shown in Figure 1. Reactances of the two sections of transmission lines are shown in the diagram. The generators and transformers are rated as follows:

Generator 1: 15 MVA, 13.8 kV,  $X = 0.15$  p.u.

Generator 2: 30 MVA, 15 kV,  $X = 0.2$  p.u.

Generator 3: 20 MVA, 20 kV,  $X = 0.2$  p.u.

Transformer 1: 20 MVA, 13.8/220 kV, Delta-Wye,  $X = 10\%$

Transformer 2: Single-phase units each rated 10 MVA, 18/127 kV,  $X = 10\%$

Transformer 3: 30 MVA, 20/220 kV, Wye-Wye,  $X = 10\%$

Draw the circuit diagram showing impedances in per unit and marked with letters to indicate points corresponding to the one-line diagram. Choose a base of 100 MVA, 13.8 kV in the circuit of Generator 1.

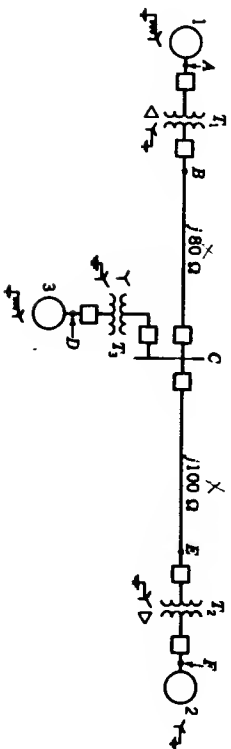


Figure 1

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Calculate the inductance and capacitance of the double-circuit, bundled three-phase line shown in Figure 2. All distances in the figure are in meters. Neglect the effect of ground. Consider that the radius of each conductor in the bundle is 0.015 m.

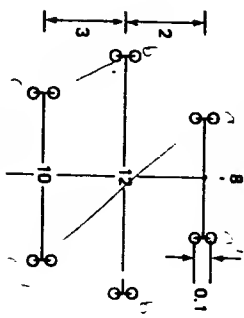


Figure 2

The A-B-D constants of a three-phase transmission line are:

$$A = 0.9 \angle 95^\circ$$

$$B = 100.0 \angle 80^\circ \Omega$$

$$D = A$$

The magnitudes of the sending end and receiving end voltages are 500 and 490 kV respectively. The real power being received is 1000 MW.

- Calculate the C constant of the line.
- Calculate the phase angle displacement between the voltages at the sending end and receiving end of the line.
- How much complex power will the line deliver if the phase displacement between the sending- and receiving-end voltages is  $35^\circ$ ?
- Calculate the maximum power that can be delivered by the line.

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- ~~4~~ A power system has two generating units operating on economic dispatch. The operating costs of these units are given by

$$F_1 = \begin{cases} 2P_1 + 0.02P_1^2 \text{ (\$/hr)} & \text{for } 0 < P_1 \leq 100 \text{ MW} \\ 6P_1 \text{ (\$/hr)} & \text{for } P_1 > 100 \text{ MW} \end{cases}$$

$$F_2 = 0.03 P_2^2 \text{ (\$/hr)}$$

where  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  are in MW.

- ~~(a)~~ Determine the power output of each unit that minimizes the total operating cost as total required power ( $P_R$ ) varies from 200 to 700 MW.  
Neglect transmission losses.

- ~~(b)~~ If the total transmission losses for the system are given by

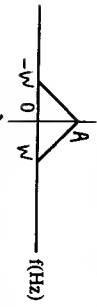
$$P_L = 2 \times 10^{-4} P_1^2 + 1 \times 10^{-4} P_2^2 \text{ (MW)}.$$

Perform economic dispatch calculations for a total required power of 290 MW.

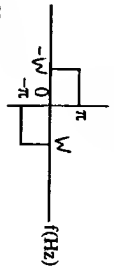
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d)

Magnitude (volts/Hz)



Phase (rad)

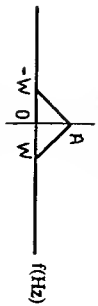


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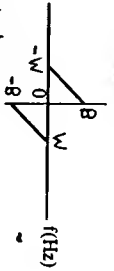
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e)  $g(f) \leftrightarrow G(f) = G_{\text{real}}(f) + jG_{\text{imag}}(f)$

$G_{\text{real}}(f)$  (volts/Hz)



$G_{\text{imag}}(f)$  (volts/Hz)



This function is not real, because it has an imaginary component to it.

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### 351.3 Spectrum Analysis and Discrete-Time Systems

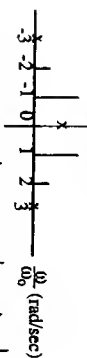
Term Test, October 22/02, Time: 2 hours, Closed Book

All questions are of equal value but not necessarily of equal difficulty. Please label and scale your graphs and do not forget units. Finally explain and justify your solutions.

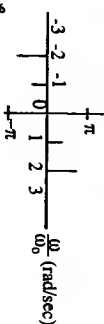
1. Which double-sided spectrum represents a **real** time function. Marks are given only for your reason(s).

a)

Magnitude (volts)



Phase (rad)



This does not represent a real time function, because, the phase component is negative on one side of the  $f$ -axis, and positive on the other, which adds an imaginary element to it.

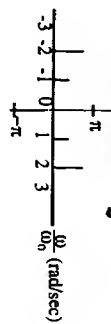
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b)

Magnitude (volts)



Phase (rad)



This does represent a real time function, because the phase has no negative components.

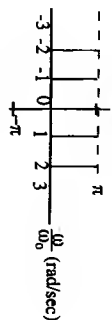
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c)

Magnitude (volts)



Phase (rad)



This time function has constant phase and thus is a real time function. Yes, but reasoning is not correct.

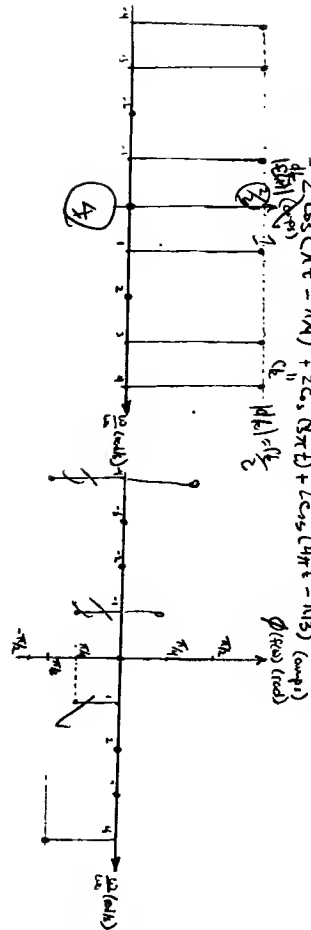
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$$\sqrt{16} = 4 = 2 \quad \sqrt{16} + i^2 = \sqrt{16} - 2$$

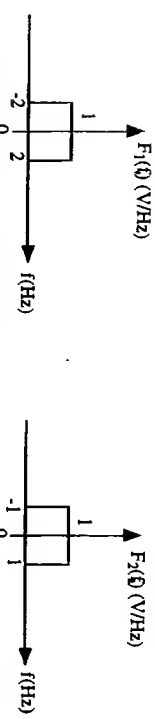
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3. a) Determine the double-sided spectrum of

$$f(t) = \sqrt{2} \cos(\pi t) + \sqrt{2} \sin(\pi t) + 2 \cos(3\pi t) + \cos(4\pi t) + \sqrt{2} \sin(4\pi t) \text{ (amps)}$$

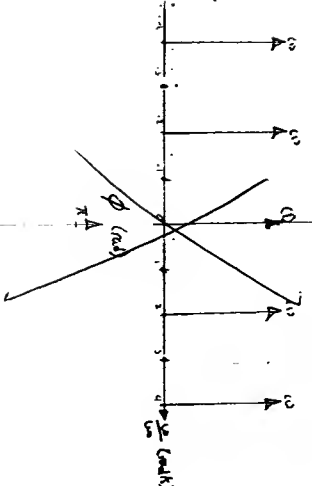


b) Consider two time functions  $f_1(t)$ ,  $f_2(t)$  with Fourier transforms  $F_1(f)$ ,  $F_2(f)$  shown below.



Determine and draw the spectrum of  $g(t) = f_1(t)f_2(t)$ .

$$g(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(\lambda)Y(f-\lambda) d\lambda \quad (2k)$$

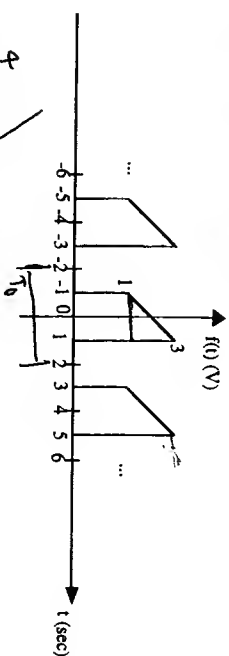


$\Delta f_1 = 4 \text{ Hz}$   
 $\Delta f_2 = 2 \text{ Hz}$   
 $\Delta f_g = 2 \text{ Hz}$   
 f scale not same on both graphs  
 impulse bandwidth  $\frac{1}{2} = 2 \text{ Hz}$

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2. Determine the Fourier series, trigonometric form, of the periodic function below. Simplify the coefficients as much as possible.



$$T_0 = 6 \text{ sec} \quad \omega_0 = \frac{2\pi}{T_0} = \frac{\pi}{3} \text{ rad/sec}$$

$$a_0 = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_0^{T_0} f(t) dt = \frac{1}{6} \int_0^3 (2t) dt + \frac{1}{6} \int_3^6 1 dt = \frac{1}{6} \left[ t^2 \right]_0^3 + \frac{1}{6} \left[ t \right]_3^6 = \frac{1}{6} \left( 9 + 3 \right) = 2$$

$$a_n = \frac{2}{T_0} \int_0^{T_0} f(t) \cos(n\omega_0 t) dt = \frac{2}{6} \int_0^3 (2t) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi t}{3}\right) dt + \frac{2}{6} \int_3^6 1 \cos\left(\frac{n\pi t}{3}\right) dt$$

$$a_n = \frac{2}{3} \int_0^3 (2t) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi t}{3}\right) dt + \frac{2}{3} \int_3^6 1 \cos\left(\frac{n\pi t}{3}\right) dt$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \left[ \frac{3 \sin(n\pi t)}{n\pi} \right]_0^3 + \left[ \frac{3 \cos(n\pi t)}{n\pi} \right]_0^3 + \frac{2}{3} \left[ \frac{\sin(n\pi t)}{n\pi} \right]_3^6 + \left[ \frac{\cos(n\pi t)}{n\pi} \right]_3^6$$

$$= \frac{2 \cos(n\pi)}{n\pi} - \frac{2 \cos(0)}{n\pi} = 0 \quad \text{This is expected, as this is an odd function so find up } b_n$$

$$b_n = \frac{2}{T_0} \int_0^{T_0} f(t) \sin(n\omega_0 t) dt = \frac{2}{6} \int_0^3 (2t) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi t}{3}\right) dt + \frac{2}{6} \int_3^6 1 \sin\left(\frac{n\pi t}{3}\right) dt$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \left[ \frac{3 \cos(n\pi t)}{n\pi} \right]_0^3 + \left[ \frac{3 \sin(n\pi t)}{n\pi} \right]_0^3 + \frac{2}{3} \left[ \frac{\cos(n\pi t)}{n\pi} \right]_3^6 + \left[ \frac{\sin(n\pi t)}{n\pi} \right]_3^6$$

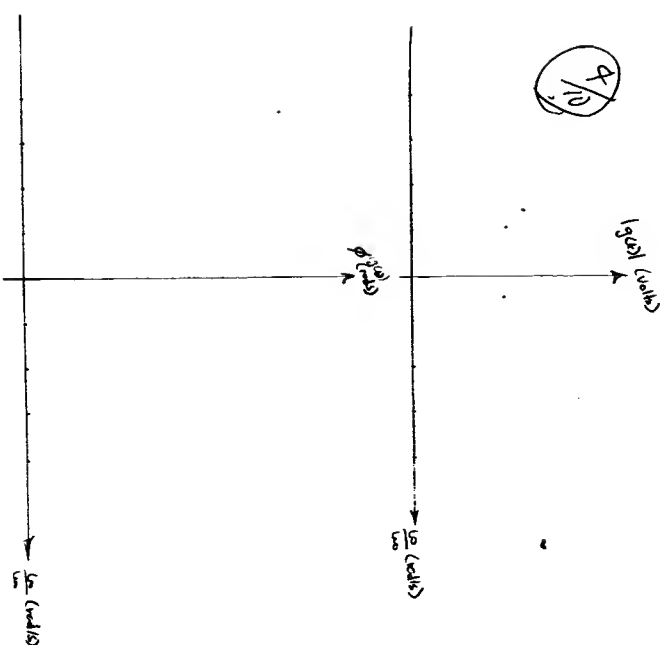
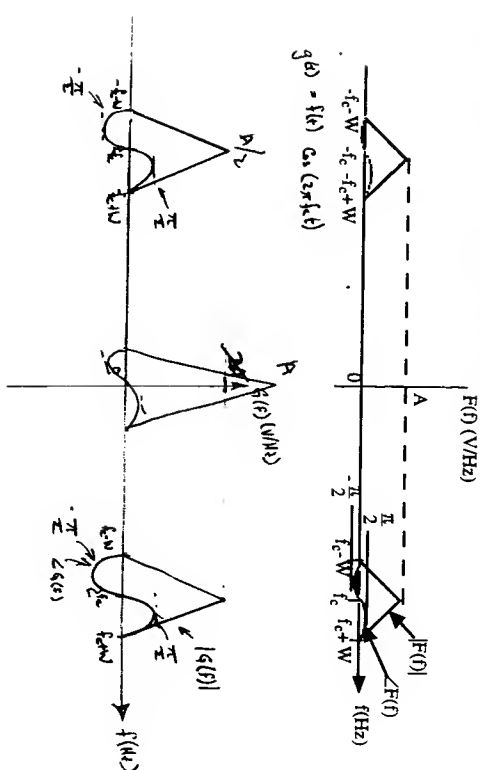
$$= \frac{2}{3} \left[ \frac{-\cos(n\pi)}{n\pi} + \frac{\cos(0)}{n\pi} \right] + \left[ \frac{\sin(n\pi)}{n\pi} - \frac{\sin(0)}{n\pi} \right] - \left( \frac{\cos(n\pi)}{n\pi} + \frac{\sin(n\pi)}{n\pi} \right)$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \left[ \frac{-\cos(n\pi) + 1}{n\pi} \right] + \left[ \frac{-\cos(n\pi)}{n\pi} - \frac{\cos(0)}{n\pi} \right]$$

$$= -\frac{2 \cos(n\pi)}{3n\pi} = -\frac{2(-1)^n}{3n\pi} \text{ Volts}$$

$$f(t) \approx a_0 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k \cos(k\omega_0 t) + b_k \sin(k\omega_0 t) = 2 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{2(-1)^k}{3k\pi} \sin(k\pi t) \text{ Volts}$$

4. Given the amplitude density spectrum of  $f(t)$  shown below determine the spectrum of  $g(t) = f(t) \cos(2\pi f_c t)$  and draw a neatly labelled graph of  $G(f)$



### Fourier coefficients of $f_1(t)$

$$a_0 = \frac{2(2)}{4} = 1(v)$$

$$a_k = \frac{2}{T_0} \int_{T_0} f(t) \cos(k\omega_0 t) dt = \frac{2}{4} \int_{-1}^1 2 \cos(k\omega_0 t) dt = 2 \int_0^1 \cos(k\omega_0 t) dt = \frac{2 \sin(k\omega_0 t)}{k\omega_0} \Big|_0^1$$

$$= \frac{2}{\pi k \omega_0} \sin(k\omega_0)$$

$$(\omega_0 = \frac{2\pi}{4} = \frac{\pi}{2})$$

$$a_k = \begin{cases} \frac{4}{\pi k} & k = 1, 5, 9, \dots \\ 0 & k = 2, 4, 6, \dots (k \text{ even}) \\ -\frac{4}{\pi k} & k = 3, 7, 11, \dots \end{cases}$$

### Fourier coefficients of $f_2(t)$

$$b_k = \frac{2}{4} \int_{-1}^1 t \sin(k\omega_0 t) dt = -\frac{\cos(k\frac{\pi}{2})}{k\omega_0} + \frac{\sin(k\frac{\pi}{2})}{k^2\omega_0^2} = 0 \quad k \text{ odd} \quad = 0 \quad k \text{ even}$$

$$b_k = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{k\omega_0} & k = 2, 6, 10, \dots \\ -\frac{1}{k\omega_0} & k = 4, 8, 12, \dots \\ \frac{1}{k^2\omega_0^2} & k = 1, 5, 9, \dots \\ -\frac{1}{k^2\omega_0^2} & k = 3, 7, 11, \dots \end{cases}$$

$$f(t) = a_0 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} [a_k \cos(k\omega_0 t) + b_k \sin(k\omega_0 t)] \quad a_0, a_k, b_k, \omega_0 \text{ as found above.}$$

One could approach the problem directly by observing that in the interval  $t \in [-1, 1]$ ,  $f(t) = t + 2$

$$a_k = \frac{2}{T_0} \int_{-1}^1 (t+2) \cos(k\omega_0 t) dt = \frac{2}{T_0} \int_{-1}^1 t \cos(k\omega_0 t) dt + \frac{2}{T_0} \int_{-1}^1 2 \cos(k\omega_0 t) dt. \text{ But the}$$

### 351 - TERM TEST - Solution

1. If the magnitude spectrum is even and the phase odd then the spectrum represents a real time function.

- magnitude - even; phase - odd  $\Rightarrow$  real time function
- magnitude - even; phase - even  $\Rightarrow$  complex time function
- magnitude - even; though phase looks even this is a special case, since  $\pi = -\pi$  phase is odd  $\Rightarrow$  real time function.
- magnitude - even; phase - odd  $\Rightarrow$  real time function

e) here the spectrum is given in 'cartesian' form. However either argue that

$$|G(f)| = \sqrt{G_{\text{real}}^2(f) + G_{\text{imag}}^2(f)} \text{ is even and } \angle G(f) = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{G_{\text{imag}}(f)}{G_{\text{real}}(f)} \right) \text{ is odd from the graphs of } G_{\text{real}}(f) \text{ and } G_{\text{imag}}(f)$$

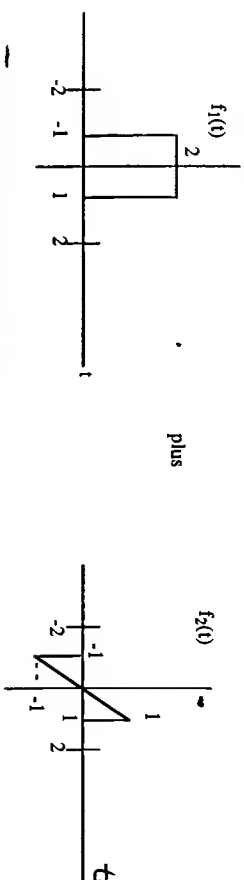
$$\text{or note that } G(f) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(t) e^{-j2\pi ft} dt = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(t) \cos(2\pi ft) dt - j \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(t) \sin(2\pi ft) dt$$

$$\Rightarrow G_{\text{real}}(f) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(t) \cos(2\pi ft) dt - \text{an even function in } f \text{ when } g(t) \text{ is real.}$$

$$G_{\text{imag}}(f) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(t) \sin(2\pi ft) dt - \text{an odd function in } f \text{ when } g(t) \text{ is real.}$$

Therefore  $g(t)$  is real because  $G_{\text{real}}(f)$  is even and  $G_{\text{imag}}(f)$  is odd.

2. Express  $f(t)$  as a sum of two functions  $f_1(t)$ ,  $f_2(t)$  as shown below:

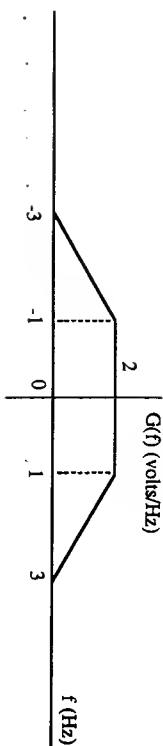


$f_1(t)$  is even  $\Rightarrow$  only  $a_k$  coefficients present  
 $f_2(t)$  is odd  $\Rightarrow$  only  $b_k$  coefficients present.

b) Spectrum of  $g(t)$  is the convolution of the two spectra,  $F_1(f)$ ,  $F_2(f)$ .

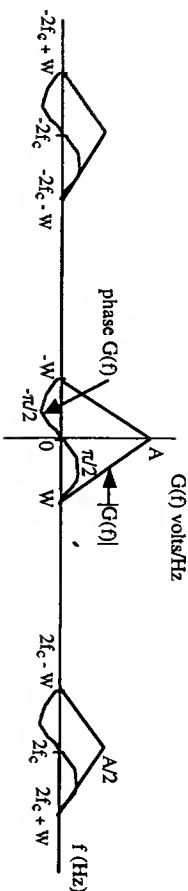
$$\text{i.e. } G(f) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F_1(\lambda) F_2(f - \lambda) d\lambda = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F_1(f - \lambda) F_2(\lambda) d\lambda$$

Doing the convolution graphically gives:



4. Multiplying  $f(t)$  by  $\cos(2\pi f_c t)$  shifts the spectrum up by  $f_c$ , down by  $f_c$ , and divides it by 2.

$$\text{Therefore } G(f) = \frac{F(f - f_c) + F(f + f_c)}{2}$$



integrand in the 1st integral is odd, therefore the integral equals zero. So  $a_k = \frac{2}{T_0} \int_{-1}^1 2 \cos(k\omega_0 t) dt$

(as above). Similarly  $b_k = \frac{2}{T_0} \int_{-1}^1 \sin(k\omega_0 t) dt + \frac{2}{T_0} \int_{-1}^1 2 \sin(k\omega_0 t) dt$ . Now the 2nd integral

disappears and  $b_k = \frac{2}{T_0} \int_{-1}^1 \sin(k\omega_0 t) dt$  (again as before).

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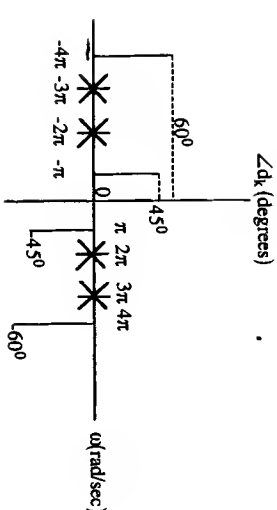
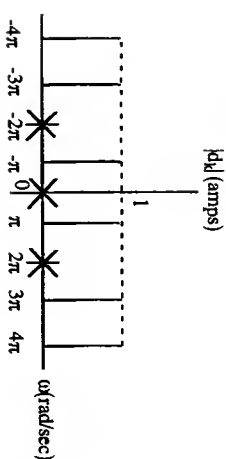
3. a)  $f(t) = 2 \cos(\pi t - 45^\circ) + 2 \cos(3\pi t) + 2 \cos(4\pi t - 60^\circ)$  (amps)

By inspection  $\omega_0 = \pi$  rad/sec. Have 3rd and 4th harmonics.

$$c_0 = 0; c_1 = 2; c_2 = 0; c_3 = 2; c_4 = 2$$

$$\phi_1 = -45^\circ; \phi_2 = 0^\circ; \phi_3 = 0^\circ; \phi_4 = -60^\circ$$

$$|d_k| = \frac{c_k}{2}; \angle d_k = \phi_k$$





Note: 2 hour open-book exam.  
Instructor: K. Talaya

1. (30) Two rectangular waves shown in Fig.1 are  $f_{50\%}(t)$  and  $f_{20\%}(t)$  defined respectively by

$$f_{50\%}(t) = \begin{cases} -1 & \text{if } -\pi \leq t < -\frac{\pi}{2} \\ 1 & \text{if } -\frac{\pi}{2} \leq t \leq +\frac{\pi}{2} \\ -1 & \text{if } +\frac{\pi}{2} < t \leq +\pi \end{cases}$$

$$f_{20\%}(t) = \begin{cases} -1 & \text{if } -\pi \leq t < -\frac{\pi}{5} \\ 1 & \text{if } -\frac{\pi}{5} \leq t \leq +\frac{\pi}{5} \\ -1 & \text{if } +\frac{\pi}{5} < t \leq +\pi \end{cases}$$

The two waveforms are similar but different only in their duty cycle (or on-time). Obtain only  $a_n$  (No need to find  $b_n$ ) as both of the waveforms are symmetric. Then, compare the obtained  $a_n$  for 50% and that for 20% of the duty cycle, to find which waveform has greater high frequency components. Make your statements based on your calculated  $a_n$ .

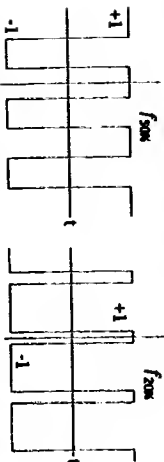


Fig. 1 Rectangular waveform of 50% duty cycle (left) and 20% (right).

2. (30) The distortion factor  $\eta$  indicates how much a given waveform is distorted from the sinusoidal wave of the same frequency. It is defined by using the exponential Fourier series  $D_n$  and  $D_{-n}$ .

$$\eta = \frac{\text{Total Power} - |D_0|^2 - |D_1|^2 - |D_{-1}|^2}{|D_1|^2 + |D_{-1}|^2}$$

or by using the compact Fourier series  $C_n$ .

$$\eta = \frac{\text{Total Power} - |C_0|^2 - |C_1|^2}{|C_1|^2}$$

Calculate the distortion factor  $\eta$  of the clipped sine wave, given by

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} \sin t & \text{if } 0 \leq t < \frac{\pi}{2} \\ \sqrt{3}/2 & \text{if } \frac{\pi}{2} \leq t \leq \frac{3\pi}{4} \\ \sin t & \text{if } \frac{3\pi}{4} \leq t < \pi \\ \sqrt{3}/2 & \text{if } \pi \leq t < \frac{5\pi}{4} \\ \sin t & \text{if } \frac{5\pi}{4} \leq t < 2\pi \end{cases}$$

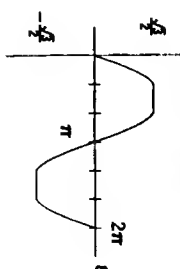


Fig. 2 Clipped sine wave.

3. (20) First, sketch the graph of

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} e^{-t} & \text{if } t \geq 0 \\ -e^t & \text{if } t < 0 \end{cases}$$

Then, obtain the Fourier transform of  $f(t)$  defined by

$$F(\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t)e^{-j\omega t} dt$$

Then, sketch only the imaginary part of  $F(\omega)$ .

4. (20) Answer the following questions briefly in less than ten lines.

1. What is the complex sinusoid represented by  $e^{j\omega_0 t}$ ?
2. Why do we use negative frequencies to represent the spectrum of a real signal such as  $\cos \omega t$ ?
3. What are the differences between the Fourier Series and the Fourier Transform?

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$$\frac{1}{2\pi} \left( -\frac{0.5}{\pi} + \frac{1}{\pi} + \frac{3}{2\pi} - \frac{0.5}{\pi} + \frac{0.5}{\pi} - \frac{0.5}{\pi} + \frac{0.5}{\pi} + \frac{0.5}{\pi} + \frac{0.5}{\pi} + \frac{0.5}{\pi} \right)$$

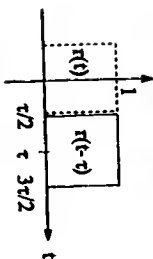
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Instructor: K. Takaya

1. (10) A rectangular function  $r(t)$  is defined as

$$r(t) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } -\frac{\tau}{2} < t < \frac{\tau}{2} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Obtain the Fourier transform of  $r(t - \tau)$  using the time-shifting property of the Fourier transform.

$$f(t - \tau) \Leftrightarrow F(\omega)e^{-j\omega\tau}$$

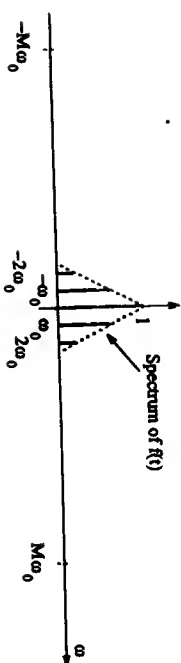


2. (10) The carrier suppressed AM (Amplitude Modulation) of a periodic signal  $f(t)$  having one cycle interval of  $T$ , i.e.  $\omega_0 = \frac{2\pi}{T}$ , modulated by a carrier frequency  $\omega_c$  is given by

$$f_{AM}(t) = 2f(t) \cos \omega_c t.$$

where,  $\omega_c = \omega_0 \times M$  is much greater than  $\omega_0$ .  $M$  is an integer.

- Assuming that the exponential Fourier series of  $f(t)$  are already calculated as  $D_n$  and  $D_{-n}$ , express the exponential Fourier series of  $f_{AM}(t)$  in terms of  $D_n$  and  $D_{-n}$ .
- Sketch the spectrum of  $f_{AM}(t)$  assuming that the spectrum of  $f(t)$ , i.e.  $D_n$  and  $D_{-n}$  is given as illustrated in the figure below.



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3. (15) Give brief explanations about "the sampling theorem" and "aliasing" (or spectrum folding) within 200 words.

4. (10) Find the z-transform of

$$0.5^{k+1} u[k-1] + 0.5^{k-1} u[k].$$

5. (10) Find the inverse z-transform of

$$\frac{2z^2 + 0.25}{(z + 1)(z - 0.5)^2}.$$

6. (10) Obtain the convolution sum between two functions  $f[k]$  and  $g[k]$ ,

$$c[k] = \sum_{m=0}^k f[m]g[k-m] = \sum_{m=0}^k g[m]f[k-m]$$

for  $f[k] = (-1)^k u[k]$  and  $g[k] = (0.2)^k u[k]$ .

7. (15) Solve the following difference equation by using the z-Transform.

$$y[k] - 1.3y[k-1] + 0.4y[k-2] = f[k]$$

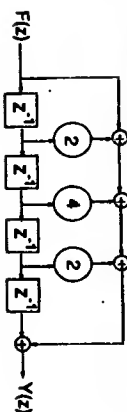
where,  $f[k] = u[k-1]$ , and  $y[-1] = 1, y[-2] = 0$ .

8. (10) Draw a diagram that illustrates the structure of a discrete transfer function given by

$$G(z) = \frac{1 - z^{-1}}{(1 - 0.5z^{-1})(1 - 0.8e^{j\pi/4}z^{-1})(1 - 0.8e^{-j\pi/4}z^{-1})}.$$

Three delay elements, i.e.  $z^{-1}$ , connected in series must be used in the diagram.

9. (10) Obtain the amplitude and phase response of the system shown below.



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Problem 1.

$\alpha_n = 1$

$n_1 = 1$

$n_2 = 2$

$n_3 = 3$

$n_4 = 4$

1. Obtain the exponential Fourier series coefficients  $D_n$  and  $D_{-n}$  of a periodic function,

$f(t) = 1 + \cos 2\pi t + \sin 4\pi t + \cos(6\pi t + \frac{\pi}{4})$

without performing the formal Fourier series integrations. Then sketch both real part and imaginary part of  $D_n$  in separate graphs.

2. Obtain the standard Fourier series coefficients  $a_n$  and  $b_n$  of the same function  $f(t)$ . Then plot both of  $a_n$  and  $b_n$  in separate graphs.

$\eta_1 = 2\pi$

$\eta_2 = 4\pi$

$\eta_3 = 6\pi$

$f(t) = 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \alpha_n \cos n\omega_0 t + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin n\omega_0 t = C_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} C_n \cos(n\omega_0 t + \theta_n)$

$a_0 = 1$

$a_1 = 1$

$b_1 = 0$

$c_1 = 0$

$\theta_1 = 0$

$\theta_2 = 0$

$\theta_3 = 0$

$\theta_4 = 0$

$\theta_5 = 0$

$\theta_6 = 0$

$\theta_7 = 0$

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$\theta_{21} = 0$

$\theta_{22} = 0$

$\theta_{23} = 0$

$\theta_{24} = 0$

$\theta_{25} = 0$



$a_n =$

$D_n = \frac{1}{2} e^{-jn\pi/4}$

$D_{-n} = \frac{1}{2} e^{jn\pi/4}$

$a_n = \frac{1}{2} \cos(n\pi/4)$

$b_n = \frac{1}{2} \sin(n\pi/4)$

$c_n = \frac{1}{2} \cos(n\pi/4)$

$\theta_n = \frac{1}{2} \sin(n\pi/4)$

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$|D_n| = |D_{-n}|$

$\angle D_n = -\angle D_{-n}$

$\angle a_n = \angle b_n$

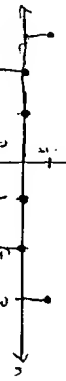
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2.  $a_n = 1$   $b_n = 1$

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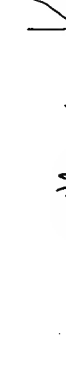
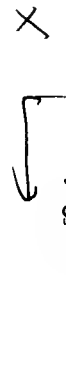
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Problem 2.

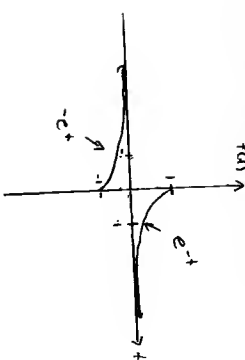
First, sketch the graph of

$f(t) = \begin{cases} e^{-t} & \text{if } t \geq 0 \\ -e^t & \text{if } t < 0 \end{cases}$

Then, obtain the Fourier transform of  $f(t)$  defined by

$F(\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t) e^{-j\omega t} dt$

Then, sketch only the imaginary part of  $F(\omega)$ .



$$F(\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t) e^{-j\omega t} dt$$
  

$$= \int_{-\infty}^0 -e^t e^{-j\omega t} dt + \int_0^{\infty} e^{-t} e^{-j\omega t} dt$$
  

$$= -\int_{-\infty}^0 e^{(1-j\omega)t} dt + \int_0^{\infty} e^{-(1+j\omega)t} dt$$
  

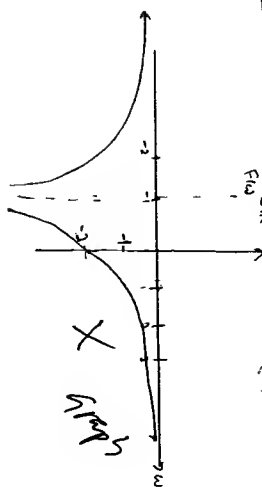
$$= -\left[ \frac{1}{1-j\omega} e^{(1-j\omega)t} \right]_{-\infty}^0 + \left[ \frac{1}{1+j\omega} e^{-(1+j\omega)t} \right]_0^{\infty}$$
  

$$= -\left( \frac{1}{1-j\omega} \right) + \left( \frac{1}{1+j\omega} \right)$$
  

$$= \frac{1}{1+j\omega} - \frac{1}{1-j\omega} = \frac{1-j\omega - (1+j\omega)}{(1+j\omega)(1-j\omega)}$$
  

$$= \frac{-2j\omega}{1-\omega^2} = \frac{-2j\omega}{1-\omega^2}$$
  

$$P(\omega) = \frac{-2j\omega}{1-\omega^2}$$



**Problem 3.**

The Fourier series of a sawtooth wave having one cycle period of  $T = 2\pi$ ,

$$f(t) = \frac{t}{\pi} \quad \text{where, } -\pi < t \leq +\pi$$

is given by

$$D_0 = 0, \quad D_n = \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{j2n} \quad \text{and} \quad D_{-n} = -\frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{j2n}$$

Calculate the distortion factor  $\eta$  of this sawtooth wave according to the definition,

$$\eta = \frac{\text{Total power} - \text{DC power} - |D_1|^2 - |D_{-1}|^2}{|D_1|^2 + |D_{-1}|^2}$$

$$\text{Total Power} = \frac{1}{T} \int_T f(t)^2 dt + \text{DC Power} = 0.0$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \frac{t^2}{\pi^2} dt$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \left[ \frac{t^3}{3} \right]_{-\pi}^{\pi} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \left( \frac{\pi^3}{3} - \left( -\frac{\pi^3}{3} \right) \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{6\pi} (2\pi^3) = \frac{\pi^2}{3}$$

$$= \frac{\pi^2}{3} \quad \checkmark$$

$$D_1 = \frac{(-1)^{1-1}}{j2} = \frac{1}{j2}$$

$$|D_1|^2 = \left| \frac{1}{j2} \right|^2 = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$D_{-1} = -\frac{(-1)^{1-1}}{j2} = -\frac{1}{j2}$$

$$|D_{-1}|^2 = \left| -\frac{1}{j2} \right|^2 = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= \frac{\pi^2}{3} - \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= \frac{2\pi^2 - 3}{6}$$

$$= \frac{2\pi^2 - 3}{6} = 1.67$$

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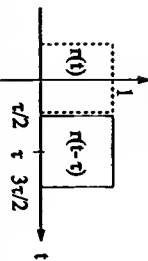
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1. A rectangular function  $r(t)$  is defined as

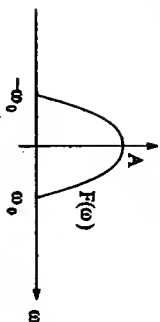
$$r(t) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } -\frac{\tau}{2} < t < \frac{\tau}{2} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Obtain the Fourier transform of  $r(t - \tau)$  using the time-shifting property of the Fourier transform.

$$f(t - \tau) \Leftrightarrow F(\omega)e^{-j\omega\tau}$$



2. Determine the Nyquist sampling rate of a signal represented by its Fourier transform  $F(\omega)$  as shown below. Where,  $\omega_0 = 2\pi \times 1000$ .



If the time signal  $f(t)$  corresponding to  $F(\omega)$  is sampled at a sampling rate exactly equal to the Nyquist sampling rate, what is the sampling frequency? how does this sampling affect the spectrum? Sketch the spectrum after sampling, to answer the question.

3. Find the zero input response of the difference equation,

$$y[k + 2] - 0.25y[k] = f[k + 2]$$

for a set of internal conditions  $y[-2] = -4$  and  $y[-1] = -6$ . The z-transform is not allowed in this problem.

4. Find the z-transform of

$$0.5^{k+1}u[k - 1] + 0.5^{k-1}u[k].$$

5. Find the inverse z-transform of

$$\frac{z(-5z + 22)}{(z + 1)(z - 0.8)^2}.$$

6. Draw the block diagram of a discrete transfer function given by

$$G[z] = \frac{1 - z^{-1}}{(1 - 0.6z^{-1})(1 - 0.7z^{-1})(1 - 0.8z^{-1})}.$$

7. Obtain the convolution sum,

$$c[k] = \sum_{m=0}^k f[m]g[k - m]$$

for  $f[k] = u[k]$  and  $g[k] = (0.2)^k u[k]$ .

8. Explain what "aliasing" (or spectrum folding) is briefly within 100 words.

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October 1999

Time: 2 hours  
Inst: H. Wood  
Notes: Formula sheet allowed  
Marks: As shown. Do all three questions.

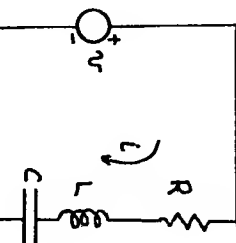


Figure 1.

- (40)
- For the circuit shown in Figure 1,
    - determine the differential equation that relates the current signal  $i(t)$  to the input voltage signal  $v(t)$ . Show your work.
    - For the values  $L=1H$ ,  $R=5\Omega$ ,  $C=1/6 F$ , what is the D operator form for the zero-input differential equation.
    - Assuming  $i(t)$  has a solution of the form  $i(t) = c \exp(-\lambda t)$ , what is the characteristic zero-input solution if the current is zero at time  $t=0$ , and  $di/dt = -2$  at  $t=0$ ?
    - What is the unit impulse response  $h(t)$  of this system?

2. When a unit impulse signal  $\delta(t)$  is applied to a system A, the response of the system is
- $$y(t) = 3 \exp(-2t) u(t), \quad \hat{=} h(t)$$

- (44)
- Sketch this output signal giving care to the labelling of the axes.
  - Sketch an input signal given by  $x(t) = 2(u(t-1) - u(t-3))$
  - Sketch the expected output of the system A when the input  $x(t)$  is applied.
  - Calculate the output of the system when  $x(t)$  is input, using convolution.
3. Fourier hypothesized that a periodic waveform  $f(t)$  could be represented by an infinite sum of harmonically related components,

$$f(t) = a_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n \cos n\omega_d t + b_n \sin n\omega_d t)$$

- (20)
- Describe how the coefficients  $a_n$  and  $b_n$  can be determined, and give a mathematical expression for  $a_n$  and  $b_n$  following from your description.
  - Show how the coefficients  $a_n$  and  $b_n$  can be evaluated for  $n=0,1,2$  if the waveform  $f(t)$  is as shown in Figure 2.
  - Evaluate  $a_1$  and  $b_1$  for the waveform shown in Figure 2.

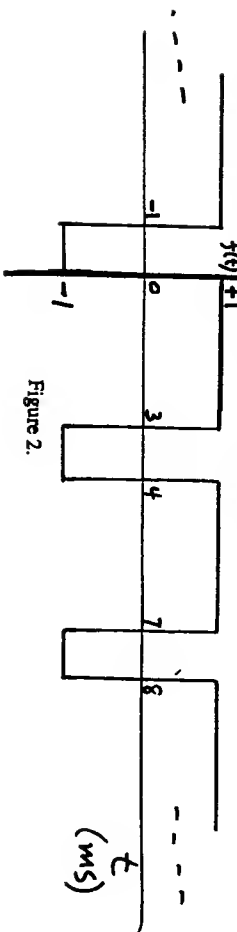


Figure 2.

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Time: 3 hours  
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Notes: Closed Book: a few pages of notes are allowed.  
Marks: Do all 5 questions; marks as shown.

- A data communications engineer has the task of determining the on/off time ratio of the periodic signal shown in Figure 1, in order to meet certain specifications given by the customer. The customer wants to minimize the fraction of the AC signal power contained in the harmonic components beyond the fundamental frequency in order to minimize interference with other signals in the customer's system. The engineer, however, can only select values of  $x/T = 0.25, 1/3, 0.5$ , or  $2/3$ , and has assumed that the signal power is proportional to  $a_n^2 + b_n^2$ , where  $a_n$  and  $b_n$  are the coefficients of the  $n$ th frequency component, and  $T$  is the period of the fundamental component. Also, the analysis was limited to  $n < 5$ .

- What value of  $x/T$  best satisfies the customer requirement? Show your reasoning and calculations.
- What is the DC signal component for each of the  $x/T$  values? Does this factor play a role in the efficiency of the communications system?
- If  $x/T$  could be any value, describe how you could determine the best possible value to meet the customer requirement, within the same assumptions given above. Note: You do NOT need to calculate the actual optimum value, but for a bonus, you may if you wish.

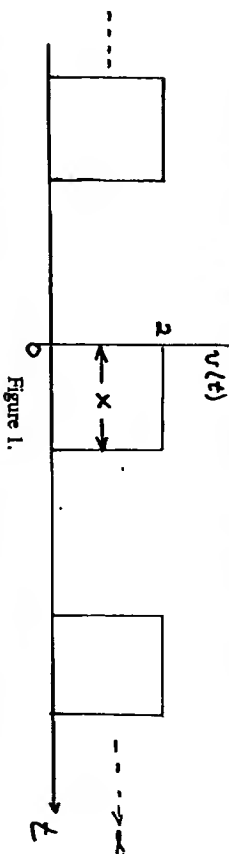


Figure 1.

- An engineer has the task of designing a laser scanning system for reading the bar codes printed on many products in stores. Part of a typical bar code is shown in Figure 2a. The bar code is designed so that there is a unique pattern of wide and narrow strips, and spacings, so that any product can be identified from this coded pattern. The objective is to scan the bar code with a laser beam and detect the pattern from the reflected light. Assume for this question that the strips are reflective and the spaces are not; the full width of the bar code is  $3.0 \text{ cm}$ .
- The engineer first decides to use a laser beam in the shape of a very small circular dot ( $< 0.000001 \text{ m}$  diameter). Unfortunately, the amount of light reflected to the detector was therefore very low and a large integration time was needed in the detector to produce any significant output voltage. The measured impulse response of the detector was as shown in Figure 2b.

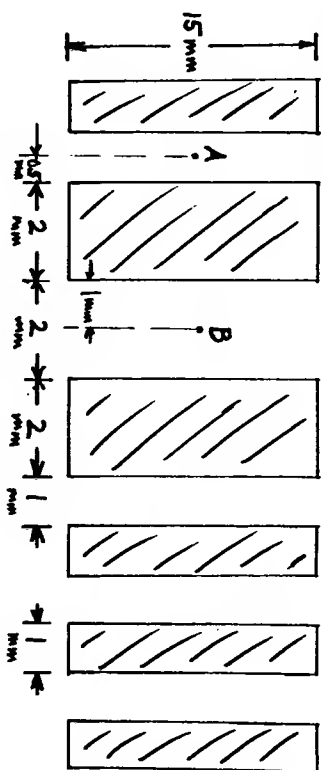


Figure 2 a.

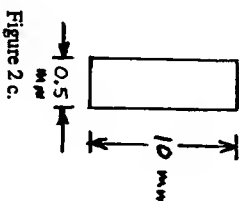
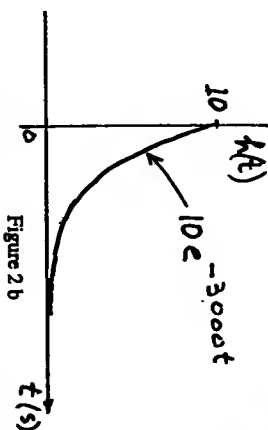


Figure 2 c.

2. a) Determine the output response of the detector as the laser dot moves from point A to point B in 1.0 ms in a straight line, at a uniform speed.
- ii) If the detector output must fall by at least one-half of its maximum output during the narrowest spacing between strips in order to separate bars from spaces, what is the shortest time that the laser beam can take to scan the entire bar?

- b) The engineer then decides to use a larger laser source, with a beam in the shape of a rectangle as shown in Figure 2c. Alignment of the beam and the bar code strips is then an issue, although the larger laser means that a much faster detector can be used. In fact, the detector's impulse response is now "infinitely narrow".
- i) What is the detector output now as the rectangular beam shape scans from A to B when the rectangle shape of the beam and the strips are parallel?
- ii) If the bar code becomes inclined by 15 degrees to the laser beam rectangle, what is the detector output as the beam scans from A to B?
- iii) Are these two cases, b i) and b ii) true examples of convolution? Why or why not?

3. An engineer is designing a pulsed radar system to measure the distance to remote objects. The radar system transmits a pure sinusoidal RF signal at a frequency of 3.0 GHz (i.e.  $3.0 \times 10^9$  Hz) that is gated on and off to produce a finite duration pulse of RF energy. This pulse then travels through space to a stationary object and is reflected back to the radar antenna. The radar power output during transmission is 1.0 MW into a load of 100 Ohms.

- a) If only the sinusoidal signal was being transmitted (continuously, without gating), what would the frequency spectrum be? Draw the time signal and plot the spectrum and calculate its amplitude and position.
- b) When the sinusoidal signal is gated on and off once with a gate that is 1.0 microseconds long, what is the resulting spectrum? (Assume the full width of the gate is 1.0 microseconds with the gate centered on zero in the time plot) Draw the time signal and plot the spectrum carefully and accurately in the frequency domain, giving all necessary labels.
- c) If the engineer needs to design a receiver to measure the reflected signal, what should the center frequency of the receiver be and what should its bandwidth be to capture all of the reflected signal within the frequency region to the "first minimum" of the spectrum? (Hint—use only positive components of frequency for this calculation).

4. An engineer is trying to decide whether to use analog or digital electronic techniques to design a data communications system. Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of the digital method compared to the analog method.

5. The time limited signal shown in Figure 3a has a spectrum as shown in Figure 3b.

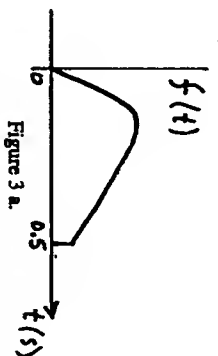


Figure 3 a.

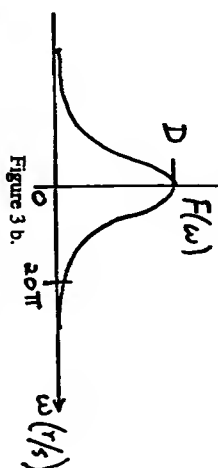


Figure 3 b.

- a) Sketch the spectrum after the time signal has been sampled at a rate of 20 samples per second.
- b) Will there be much overlap in the spectrum at the above sampling rate? What would happen to the overlap if the sampling rate was reduced to 10 samples per second? Why?
- c) If the spectrum obtained in part a) above is itself sampled so that the spectral values can be stored in a digital computer, what is the effect on the time signal? Sketch the resulting time signal.
- d) What is the frequency spacing in the sampled spectrum so that there is 50% padding between successive time signals? What is the maximum allowable spacing between frequency samples so there will be no overlap in time?
- e) How are the samples of the time signal and the samples of the frequency spectrum related to each other mathematically? Do not just give the equations, but explain what they mean in words.
- f) How does the FFT derive from the relationship defined in e) ?

Check for units

Note: 2 hour open-book exam.  
Instructor: K. Takaya

1. (20) A linear system is described by the differential equation,  
 $(D^2 + 2D + 5)y(t) = (D + 4)f(t)$ .

- Write the characteristic equation, characteristic roots and characteristic modes of this system.  
Obtain the zero-input response of this system for the initial conditions,  $y(0) = 1$  and  $\dot{y}(0) = 1$ .  
Find the unit impulse response of this system, i.e. find  $y(t)$  for  $f(t) = \delta(t)$ .

2. (20) By using the convolution integral,

$$y(t) = \int_0^t f(t - \tau)g(\tau)d\tau = \int_0^t f(\tau)g(t - \tau)d\tau$$

obtain the convolution of the causal functions  $g(t)$  and  $f(t)$  shown in Fig. 1. Where,

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } t < 0 \\ t & \text{if } 0 \leq t < 1 \\ 1 & \text{if } 1 \leq t \end{cases}$$

and

$$g(t) = e^{-t}u(t).$$

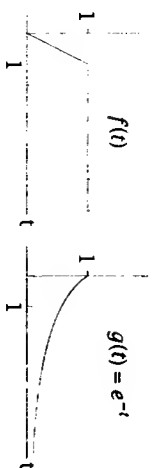


Fig. 1 Functions  $f(t)$  and  $g(t)$  for Question 2.

3. (20) Two rectangular waves shown in Fig. 2 are  $f_{50\%}(t)$  and  $f_{20\%}(t)$  defined respectively by

$$f_{50\%}(t) = \begin{cases} -1 & \text{if } -\pi \leq t < -\frac{\pi}{2} \\ 1 & \text{if } -\frac{\pi}{2} \leq t \leq +\frac{\pi}{2} \\ -1 & \text{if } +\frac{\pi}{2} < t \leq +\pi \end{cases}$$

$$f_{20\%}(t) = \begin{cases} -1 & \text{if } -\pi \leq t < -\frac{\pi}{5} \\ 1 & \text{if } -\frac{\pi}{5} \leq t \leq +\frac{\pi}{5} \\ -1 & \text{if } +\frac{\pi}{5} < t \leq +\pi \end{cases}$$

The two waveforms are similar but different only in their duty cycle (or on-time). Obtain only  $a_n$  (No need to find  $b_n$  and  $a_0$ ) by treating the waveforms as symmetric. Then, compare the obtained two  $a_n$ , one for 50% and the other for 20% of the duty cycle, to find which waveform has greater high frequency components. Write your answer with supporting reasons.

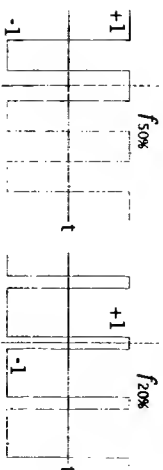


Fig. 2 Rectangular waveform of 50% duty cycle (left) and 20% (right).

4. (20) The distortion factor  $\eta$  indicates how much a given waveform is distorted from the sinusoidal wave of the same frequency. It is defined by using the exponential Fourier series  $D_n$  and  $D_{-n}$  as follows.

$$\eta = \frac{\text{Total Power} - |D_0|^2 - |D_1|^2 - |D_{-1}|^2}{|D_1|^2 + |D_{-1}|^2}$$

For the half sinusoidal wave shown in Fig. 3, obtain  $D_0$ ,  $D_1$  and the total power  $P$ , defined by

$$D_0 = \frac{1}{T} \int_T f(t)dt, D_1 = \frac{1}{T} \int_T f(t)e^{-j\omega t}dt, \text{ and } P = \frac{1}{T} \int_T f(t)^2 dt.$$



Using the relationship  $|D_1| = |D_{-1}|$ , calculate the distortion factor  $\eta$  of the half sinusoidal wave.

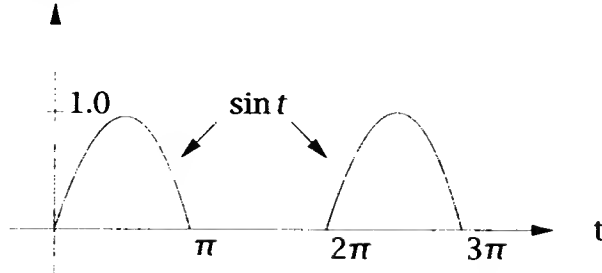


Fig. 3 Half sinusoidal wave.

5. (20) Answer the following questions briefly in two or three lines.

1. What does  $e^{j\omega_0 t}$  represent? (what is it?)
2. Why do you need negative frequencies to represent a real signal such as  $\cos \omega_0 t$  in the frequency domain?
3. Determine the spectrum of  $2 \cos 2\omega_0 t - \sin 2\omega_0 t$ .

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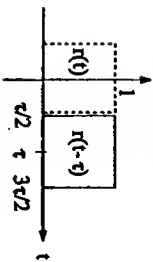
Note: 3 hour open-book exam. All questions are of equal value.  
Instructor: K. Takaya

1. Solve the following Fourier and Inverse Fourier problems.

1. A rectangular function  $r(t)$  is define as

$$r(t) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } -\frac{\tau}{2} < t < \frac{\tau}{2} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Obtain the Fourier transform of  $r(t - \tau)$  and sketch the obtained Fourier transform in two separate graphs, (i) the magnitude versus  $\omega$  and (ii) the phase versus  $\omega$ .

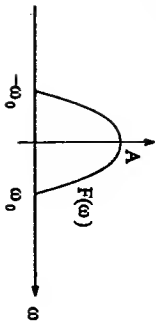


2. By using the time-shifting property of the Fourier transform,

$$f(t - \tau) \Leftrightarrow F(\omega)e^{-j\omega\tau},$$

$$\text{obtain the inverse Fourier transform of } e^{-j\omega\tau} \tau \operatorname{sinc} \frac{\omega\tau}{2}.$$

2. Determine the Nyquist sampling rate and the Nyquist sampling interval of a signal represented by its Fourier transform  $F(\omega)$  as shown below.



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$\omega_0$  corresponds to 1000Hz, i.e.  $\omega_0 = 2\pi \times 1000$ . Now, the time signal  $f(t)$  corresponding to  $F(\omega)$  is sampled at a sampling rate exactly equal to twice the Nyquist sampling rate. What are the sampling frequency  $f_s$  and the sampling time interval  $T$ ? Plot the Fourier transform of the sampled signal  $f(kT)$ , where  $k$  is an integer sample number.

3. Find the zero input response of the difference equation,

$$y[k+2] - 0.25y[k] = f[k+2]$$

for a set of internal conditions  $y[-2] = -4$  and  $y[-1] = -6$ . The z-transform is not allowed in this problem.

4. Find the z-transform of

$$2^{k+1}u[k-1] + 0.5^{k-1}u[k].$$

5. Find the inverse z-transform of

$$\frac{2z^3 - 4z^2 + 5z}{(z-1)(z^2 - 2z + 4)}.$$

6. Draw a canonical representation of the discrete transfer function given by

$$G(z) = \frac{1 - z^{-1}}{(1 - 0.6z^{-1})(1 - 0.7z^{-1})(1 - 0.8z^{-1})}.$$

Also, show the locations of poles and zeros involved in this transfer function  $G(z)$  in the complex plane. (pole-zero configuration in the z-plane).

7. The spectrum of a periodic wave  $f(t)$  having one cycle time interval of  $T$  can be expressed by the exponential (two sided) Fourier series coefficients,

$$D_n = \frac{1}{T} \int_T f(t)e^{-jn\omega_0 t} dt \quad \text{and} \quad D_n = D_{-n}^*$$

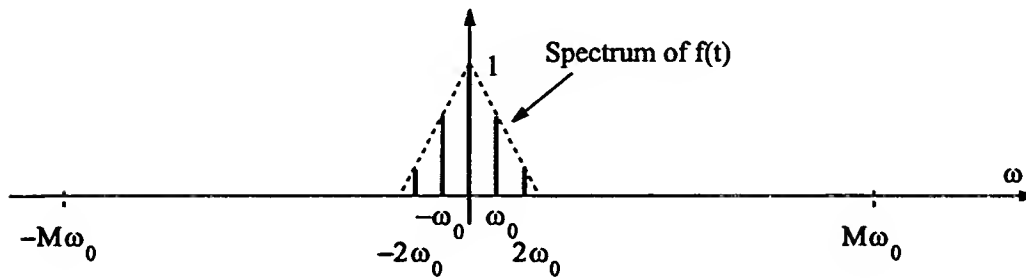
Where,  $\omega_0 = \frac{2\pi}{T}$ . Carrier suppressed AM (Amplitude Modulation) is a simple multiplication process of the baseband signal

$$f(t) = \sum_n D_n e^{jn\omega_0 t}$$

$f(t)$  and a carrier signal of frequency  $\omega_c = \omega_0 \times M$ . The carrier frequency  $\omega_c$  is much greater than the fundamental frequency  $\omega_0$  of the baseband signal. The carrier suppressed AM is given by

$$f_{AM}(t) = 2f(t) \cos \omega_c t.$$

Express the exponential Fourier series of  $f_{AM}(t)$  in terms of  $D_n$  and  $D_{-n}$  of the original signal  $f(t)$ . Then, sketch the spectrum of  $f_{AM}(t)$  assuming that the spectrum of  $f(t)$  is given as illustrated in the following figure.



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# 1. Photoelectric Effect

a) Circle any of the following that can be determined by a photoelectric experiment.

The ratio of charge to mass for the electron ✓

The metal's work function ✓

The uncertainty in the position of the electron

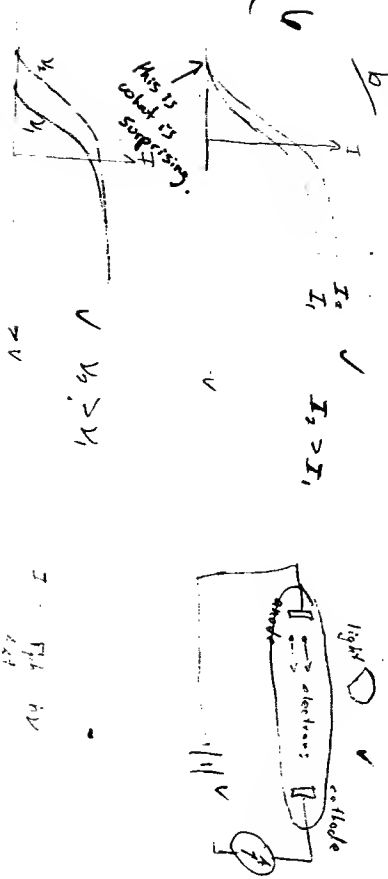
The photon's energy  $\lambda \rightarrow$  you set this - so it's already known

The value of Planck's constant ✓

The electron's DeBroglie wavelength

b) Sketch the apparatus and draw typical I-V curves for two different wavelengths of light and two different intensities. Indicate which is the longer wavelength and which is the greater intensity.

c) Explain what is surprising about the I-V curves from the viewpoint of classical (pre-quantum) theory.



Surprising that the I-V curve changes for diff. wavelengths. According to classical theory, it should only depend on intensity. That max kin. energy is independent of intensity.

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EE372 Electronic Materials and Devices

Midterm Examination

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## PART A

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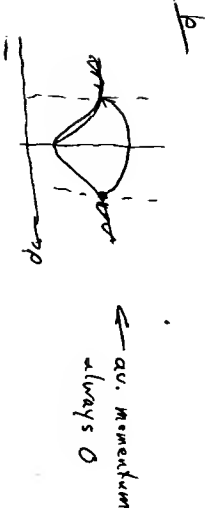
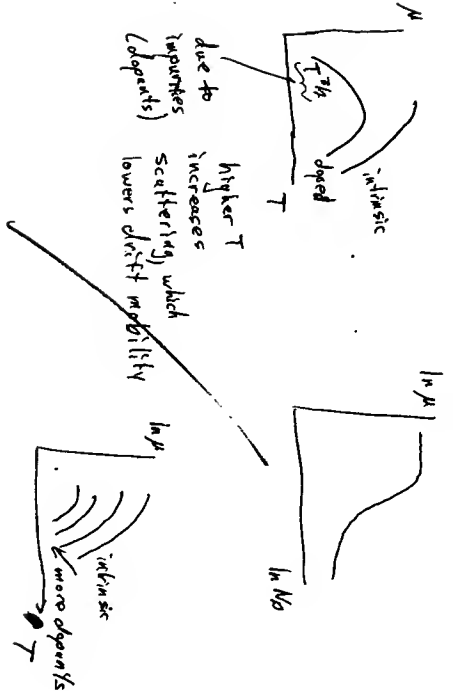
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1. 6
2. 7
3. -
4. 10
5. 9 1/2

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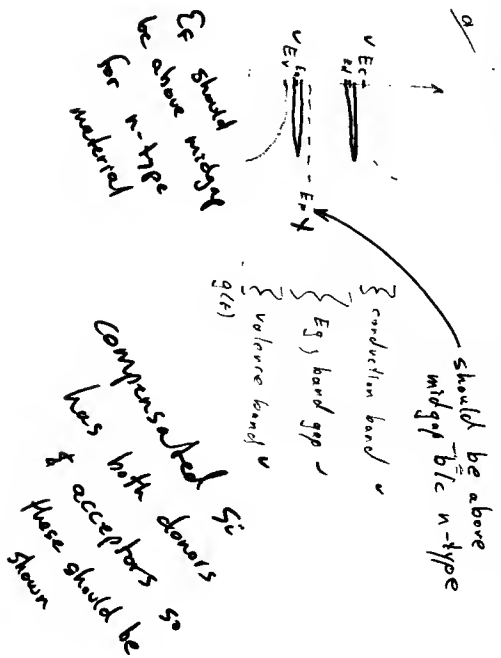
### 3. Conduction in Semiconductors

- Draw qualitatively the dependence of the drift mobility of a semiconductor on temperature and dopant concentration. Explain why the curves look the way they do.
- Explain why a completely full band does not conduct electricity.



### 2. Semiconductor Band Structure

- Draw a qualitative density of states diagram for compensated silicon. Label all relevant energy levels with appropriate symbols, and name the important regions of the density of states. Indicate approximately the position of the Fermi energy if the material is overall n-type.



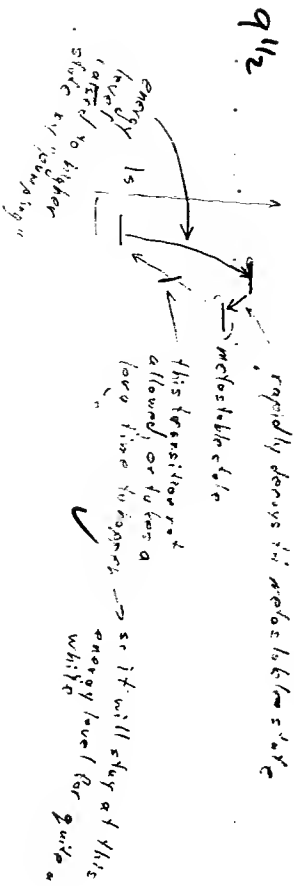
## 5. Lasers

- Explain the difference between spontaneous and stimulated emission.
- What condition is necessary for optical amplification and how is it achieved? Explain using a typical energy level diagram.
- Why is the light from a laser nearly monochromatic? Provide one explanation for why the laser's output has a small spread in wavelength.

a) Spontaneous emission is caused by an electron decaying from a higher energy level ( $E_2$ ) to a lower level ( $E_1$ ). ~~causing the ground state~~ releasing a photon in this process with  $h\nu = E_2 - E_1$ . In stimulated emission, this state change occurs when a photon collides with the atom, causing this energy change and a photon emission. **two photons emitted.**

### "Population inversion"

- Necessary condition: Transition of states - more atoms at a higher energy level than at ground state. **note: achieved by "pumping" - using a light or electrical method to bump electrons up to metastable states;**



c) Light is monochromatic b/c of the quantized nature of the electron energy levels  $\rightarrow$  when stimulated, the atom gives off the same amount of energy every time, in the form of a photon  $\rightarrow$  both elements in laser are chosen to produce only one transition.

Small spread in wavelength partially due to doppler effect. Atoms moving toward the receiver will emit a slightly higher frequency due to their motion; atoms moving away will emit a slightly lower frequency. **Also Heisenberg: atoms stay excited for a specific period (away-red shift of time resulting in an uncertainty in energy)**

## 4. Coulomb Potential

- What are the allowed values for each of the quantum numbers  $n, l, m_l, m_s$ ?
- How many electrons can occupy each of following subshells: 2s, 3p, and 4d?
- What would happen to an atom if the Pauli Exclusion Principle did not hold?
- Circle which level of the following pairs has the higher energy.

(3p) or 3s ✓  
2p or (4p) ✓

a)  $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$  ✓  
 $l = 0, 1, 2, \dots (n-1)$  ✓  
 $m_l = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots \pm l$  ✓  
 $m_s = \pm 1/2$  ✓

b) 3s: 2 ✓  
3p: 6 ✓  
4d: 10 ✓

- There could be many electrons w/ exactly the same set of quantum numbers  $\rightarrow$  Since they would all try to be at the lowest energy state, you would only have one shell + one subshell for every atom.  $\rightarrow$  No valence  $e^-$ 's, so no bonding? true.  $\rightarrow$  If Hund's rule still applied, they would all be in same spin  $\rightarrow$  Very magnetic.

# 1. Semiconductor Statistics

- a) A silicon crystal is uniformly doped with  $3 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3}$  of donors. Calculate the position of the Fermi level with respect to the conduction band edge  $E_C$  at  $T = 300 \text{ K}$ .
- b) The above silicon crystal is damaged by radiation. The damage causes new electron energy levels to appear at the center of the band gap with a density of  $2 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3}$  (each new level can contain only one electron). What is the density of electrons in the conduction band now? Calculate the new position of the Fermi level with respect to the conduction band edge  $E_C$ .

$$T = 300 \text{ K}$$

$$n = N_d = 3 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3} \gg n_i$$

$$n = N_c e^{-\frac{(E_C - E_F)}{kT}} = N_d$$

$$N_c = 2 \left[ \frac{2\pi m_e^* kT}{h^2} \right]^{3/2}$$

$$= 2 \left[ \frac{2\pi (1.08 \cdot 9.1 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}) (1.38 \times 10^{-23} \text{ J/K}) (300 \text{ K})}{(6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J}\cdot\text{s})^2} \right]^{3/2}$$

$$N_c = 2.8 \times 10^{19} \text{ cm}^{-3} = 2.8 \times 10^{19} \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

$$10 \quad (E_C - E_F) = -kT \ln \left( \frac{N_d}{N_c} \right)$$

$$= (1.38 \times 10^{-23} \text{ J/K}) (300 \text{ K}) \ln \left( \frac{3 \times 10^{17}}{2.8 \times 10^{19}} \right)$$

$$E_C - E_F = -0.188 \times 10^{-20} \text{ J} = \boxed{-0.117 \text{ eV} = E_C - E_F} \quad \checkmark$$

$$N_c = 2.8 \times 10^{19} \text{ cm}^{-3} = 2.8 \times 10^{19} \text{ cm}^{-3} \quad N_c = \frac{m_e^*}{m_e}$$

$$N_c = 1.2 \times 10^{19} - 2.8 \times 10^{19} \text{ cm}^{-3} = 2.79 \times 10^{19} \text{ cm}^{-3} = N_c$$

$$E_C - E_F = -2.33 \times 10^{-20} \text{ J} = -0.146 \text{ eV} = E_C - E_F \quad \checkmark$$

$3 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3}$  donors  
 $2 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3}$  places for these donors to fall in  
 by results in  $1 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3}$  in conduction band

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3. 1
4. 10

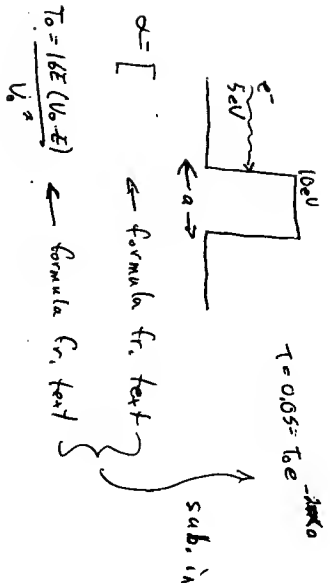
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## PHYSICAL CONSTANTS

- $c = 2.9979 \times 10^8 \text{ m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$   
 $e = 1.6021 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$   
 $m_e = 9.1091 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}$   
 $h = 6.62608 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J}\cdot\text{s}$   
 $k = 1.3807 \times 10^{-23} \text{ J}\cdot\text{K}^{-1}$   
 $\epsilon_0 = 8.8542 \times 10^{-12} \text{ F}\cdot\text{m}^{-1}$

### 3. Quantum Tunneling

An insulator in an electronic device presents a potential barrier that is 10 eV high. If the electrons have an energy of 5 eV, how thick must the insulator be so that the probability of tunneling through the barrier is 0.05?



$$E = h\nu = \frac{hc}{\lambda} \quad p = \frac{h}{\lambda} \quad \frac{p}{m} = \frac{h}{m\lambda}$$

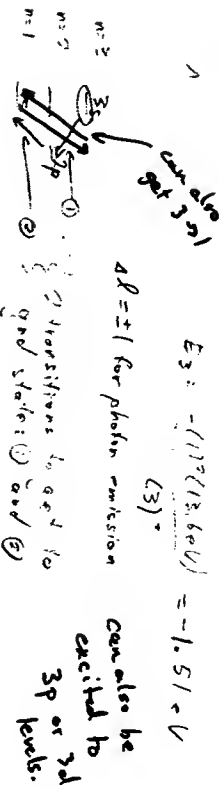
### 2. Hydrogen Atom

- An electron with energy 12.5 eV collides with a hydrogen atom. What is the highest energy level that the atom's electron can be raised to by the collision.
- Calculate all possible wavelengths of light that can be emitted by the above excited hydrogen atom as it returns to the ground state.

$$E = -\frac{Z^2 (13.6 \text{ eV})}{n^2} \quad \text{For hydrogen, } Z = 1$$

$$-13.6 \text{ eV}, 12.5 \text{ eV} = -(1)^2 (13.6 \text{ eV})$$

$$n = 3.5 \rightarrow n = 3 \quad \text{since } n \text{ is an integer}$$



In decaying from 3s to 2p:

$$E_2 = -(1)^2 (13.6 \text{ eV}) = -3.4 \text{ eV}$$

$$E = \frac{hc}{\lambda} \quad \lambda = \frac{hc}{(E_3 - E_2)} = \frac{(4.135 \times 10^{-15} \text{ eV}\cdot\text{s}) (3.10^8 \text{ m/s})}{(-1.51 - -3.4 \text{ eV})}$$

$$\lambda = 656.3 \text{ nm}$$

In decaying from 3p to 1s:

$$\lambda = \frac{hc}{(E_3 - E_1)} = \frac{(4.135 \times 10^{-15} \text{ eV}\cdot\text{s}) (3.10^8 \text{ m/s})}{(-3.4 \text{ eV} - -13.6 \text{ eV})}$$

$$\lambda = 121.6 \text{ nm}$$



#### 4. Photons and Photoelectrons

Light with intensity  $10 \text{ mW/cm}^2$  and wavelength  $430 \text{ nm}$  illuminates a piece of metal with area  $5 \text{ cm}^2$  in a photoelectric experiment. The metal's work function is  $1.7 \text{ eV}$ .

- Calculate the energy of a photon and the photon flux.
- Calculate the current of photoelectrons collected when a large positive bias is applied to the collecting electrode in the photoelectric experiment.
- What is the maximum velocity with which a photoelectron leaves the metal.
- How much negative voltage needs to be applied to the collecting electrode to eliminate the photocurrent.

$$I = 10 \text{ mW/cm}^2 \quad \lambda = 430 \text{ nm}$$

$$A = 5 \text{ cm}^2$$

$$\Phi = 1.7 \text{ eV}$$

$$KE = h\nu = \frac{hc}{\lambda} = \frac{(4.135 \times 10^{-15} \text{ eV}\cdot\text{s})(3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s})}{(430 \times 10^{-9} \text{ m})}$$

$$KE_{ph} = 2.88 \text{ eV} > 1.7 \text{ eV} \quad \checkmark$$

$$I = \Gamma_{ph} h\nu$$

$$\Gamma_{ph} = \frac{I}{h\nu} = \frac{10 \text{ mW/cm}^2}{(4.135 \times 10^{-15} \text{ eV}\cdot\text{s})} = 2.16 \times 10^{16} \text{ photons cm}^{-2}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$$

$$KE_m = h\nu - h\nu_0$$

$$\Phi = h\nu_0 \rightarrow \nu_0 = \frac{1.7 \text{ eV}}{4.135 \times 10^{-15} \text{ eV}\cdot\text{s}} \quad \nu_0 = 4.11 \times 10^{14} \text{ s}^{-1}$$

$$KE_m = 2.88 \text{ eV} - 1.7 \text{ eV} = 1.18 \text{ eV} \leftarrow KE \text{ of } e^- \text{ leaving}$$

If each photon striking the electrode results in one electron being emitted:

$$I = 2.16 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-2}\cdot\text{s}^{-1} \cdot 5 \text{ cm}^2 \cdot (1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})$$

$$\Gamma = 17.3 \text{ nC/s} = 17.3 \text{ nA} \quad \checkmark$$

$$1.18 \text{ eV} \cdot (1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J/eV}) = 1.89 \text{ nW}$$

$$V = 644.3 \text{ km/s} \quad \checkmark$$

d) To distinguish the photocurrent,

$$eV_0 = KE_m$$

$$V_0 = 1.18 \text{ eV} \cdot 1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J/eV}$$

$$V_0 = -1.18 \text{ V} \quad \checkmark$$

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**Topic covered: Part A is 1 hour**

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**Also:** You must hand in this exam question book (Part A) before you can start on Part B.

1. Consider the photoelectric experiment.


(a) Sketch the current-voltage characteristics for both negative and positive anode voltages when the photocathode is illuminated with the same frequency but different intensity light.

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(b) *How is the maximum kinetic energy of the photo-emitted electrons on the frequency of light determined? Sketch the relationship with the same frequency but different frequency light.*

4. (b) Using the maximum kinetic energy of the photoelectron as a function of the frequency of the incident light, determine the maximum kinetic energy of the photoelectron as a function of the frequency of the incident light for different cathode materials. How does the maximum kinetic energy depend on the intensity of the incident light?

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(i)   $m$   $n$   
Frequency vs Intensity  
Stokes frequency has different intensity light.

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$\alpha_1 \sim \alpha_2 \sim \alpha_3$   
 (same order of magnitude)

c) Maximum kinetic energy (K<sub>max</sub>) is determined by the frequency of the incident light and the work function of the metal.

where  $\beta$  - constant  
 amount of energy required to  
 for to divide  
 as the substrate

the slope of the line is the same for all materials.

→ The maximum kinetic energy does not depend on  $\lambda$  &  $\nu$  is always

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(c) The intensity of the light is the number of photons arriving per unit time, that pass through a unit area per unit time. It can be denoted as below:

$$L \propto \frac{\Delta N_{\text{ph}}}{A \Delta t}$$

$$L = \underbrace{h\nu}_{\text{photon energy}} \cdot \underbrace{\frac{\Delta n_{ph}}{\Delta t}}_{\text{photon flux}}$$

Conclusions from this experiment:

1)  $I_{\text{saturation}} \propto L$

2)  $K_{em}$  is not affected by the inhomogeneity

3)  $KE_m$  is affected by the frequency.

4)  $\Phi$  (work function) is a property of the metal.

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[7] 2. (a) Explain briefly the significance of the quantum numbers  $n, l, m_l, m_s$ . What are the allowed values of  $n, l, m_l, m_s$ ? Show the ordering of the energy levels for an electron in a many-electron atom from  $n = 1$  to  $n = 4$  level (including  $n = 4$ ).

Note: 4s is above 3p and below 3d; but 4p is above 3d.

[4] (b) State the Pauli Exclusion Principle and Hund's rule.  
[14] (c) Draw the energy diagrams for the electronic structure of

(i) atomic silicon (atomic number 14) and  
(ii) atomic nitrogen (atomic number 7).

Ensure that your diagrams are clear and that each electron can be assigned its quantum numbers appropriately.

[Note: You can use a box to represent an orbital wavefunction,  $\psi_{n,l,m_l}$ . Relative energies of the boxes must, however, be shown]

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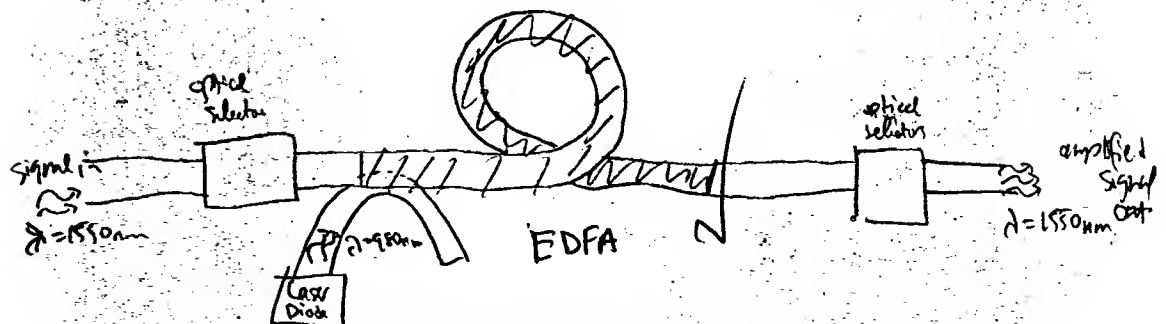
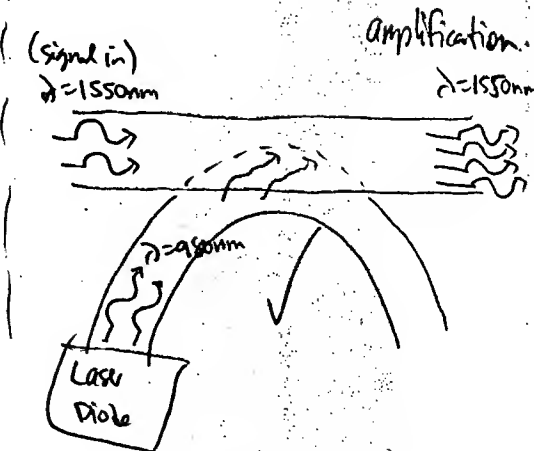
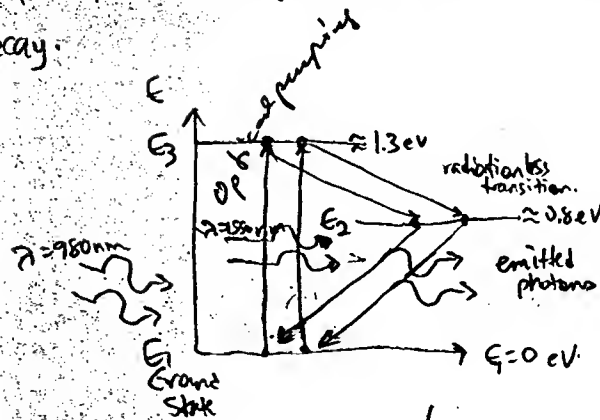
[9] 3. (a) Sketch the energy band diagram of a metal and identify the various significant features in your diagram.

[8] (b) Sketch the energy band diagram of a metal when a voltage difference is applied across it. How does conduction occur? Why are metals conductors?

[8] (c) Sketch the energy band diagram of a semiconductor and identify the various significant features in your diagram. Why are semiconductors/insulators at low temperatures? What would happen if a photon of energy  $h\nu > E_g$  is incident on this semiconductor?

- [25] 4. Explain with clear diagrams the basic principle of operation of the  $\text{Er}^{3+}$  ion doped fiber amplifier. Sketch schematically how this may be used in optical communications.

The  $\text{Er}^{3+}$  ion doped fiber amplifier works on the principle of stimulated emission. For stimulated emission to occur, population inversion has to be present. Population inversion is when there are more electrons at an energy level which is above ground state, than there is at the ground state. Population inversion is achieved by using a pumping mechanism. In the case of the EDFA, a laser diode emitting photons ( $\lambda = 980\text{nm}$ ) acts as the pumping mechanism. The optical  $\lambda = 980\text{nm}$  photons excite the electrons at the ground state, causing them to move up to the third energy level ( $E_3 = 1.3\text{eV}$ ). They quickly decay with a radiative transition to  $E_2$  ( $0.8\text{eV}$ ). This is where the stimulated emission takes place. A photon of wavelength  $= 1550\text{nm}$  contains the same energy as the electron on  $E_2$  ( $E_2 - E_1 = 0.8\text{eV}$ ), and influences the electron to return to the ground state ( $E_1 = 0\text{eV}$ ). When it decays, it releases a photon that is in phase with the wavelength  $= 1550\text{nm}$  photon that caused its decay.



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**ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING EE372.3**

Midterm Examination  
Part B (Open Book)

Instructor: S.O. Kasap  
Time allowed: Part B is 1 hour

October 26, 2001

*Note: Open book examination. Calculators are allowed. Answer any 2 questions from 3 questions. All questions carry equal marks. Marks for part-questions are shown in [ ] in the left hand margin. All answers must be given in conventional units. State clearly all assumptions made in your derivations. Method of solution must be clearly shown. Numerical mistakes, incorrect, unconventional or missing units will be heavily penalized. Mention the source of materials data used.*

**Important: You must hand in Part A before you can start Part B. Write your answers in the university answer book.**

- [12] 1. a. A multialkali metal (e.g. Sb-K-Na/Cs) metal is to be used as the photocathode material in a photoemissive electron tube. It is found that the longest wavelength radiation that gives photoemission is 420 nm. If violet radiation of wavelength 390 nm is incident on this photocathode, what will be the kinetic energy of the photoemitted electrons in electron volts? What is the effective work function of this photocathode material? What should be the voltage required on the opposite electrode to extinguish the external photocurrent?
- b. Suppose that the violet light of wavelength 390 nm has an intensity of 50 mW cm<sup>-2</sup>. Suppose that the photocathode is a disk of diameter 4 mm. If the emitted electrons are collected by applying a positive bias of 50 V to the anode, what will be the photoelectric current assuming that the quantum efficiency is 20%. What is the photocurrent when the anode voltage is doubled to 100 V?

*Note: Quantum efficiency is defined by*  
 $\text{Quantum efficiency} = (\text{Number of electrons emitted})/(\text{Number of photons absorbed})$

- [9] 2. a. A projectile electron with a velocity 2,000 km s<sup>-1</sup> collides with a hydrogen atom in a gas discharge tube. Find to which *n*-th energy level the electron in the hydrogen atom gets excited to and the Bohr radius of the excited electron.
- b. Calculate the possible wavelengths of radiation (in Å) that will be emitted from the excited H-atom in the above example as the electron returns to its ground state. [Reminder:  $1 \text{ Å} = 10^{-10} \text{ m}$ ]
- [9] c. In a gas discharge tube, He<sup>+</sup> ions are to be further ionized to He<sup>2+</sup> via impact ionization with electrons accelerated by an applied voltage. Calculate the minimum theoretical voltage required to achieve the ionization.
- [3] 3. A particular He-Ne laser operating at 632.8 nm has a tube that is 50 cm long. The operating temperature is 117 °C
- [6] a. Estimate the Doppler broadened linewidth ( $\Delta\lambda$ ) in the output spectrum.
- [5] b. What are the mode number *m* values that satisfy the resonant cavity condition? How many modes are therefore allowed?

- [7] c. What is the separation  $\Delta\nu_m$  in the frequencies of the modes? What is the mode separation  $\Delta\lambda_m$  in wavelength.
- [7] d. Show that if during operation, the temperature changes the length of the cavity by  $\delta L$ , the wavelength of a given mode changes by  $\delta\lambda_m$ .

$$\delta\lambda_m = \frac{\lambda_m}{L} \delta L$$

Given that typically a glass has a linear expansion coefficient  $\alpha = 10^{-6} \text{ K}^{-1}$ , calculate the change  $\delta\lambda_m$  in the output wavelength (due to one particular mode) as the tube warms up from 20 °C to 117 °C, and also per degree change in the operating temperature. Note that  $\delta L/L = \alpha \delta T$ , and  $L' = L(1 + \alpha(T - T_0))$ . Change in mode wavelength  $\delta\lambda_m$  with the change  $\delta L$  in the cavity length *L* is called *mode sweeping*.

**PHYSICAL CONSTANTS AND USEFUL INFORMATION**

$$\begin{aligned} c &= 2.9979 \times 10^8 \text{ m s}^{-1} & N_A &= 6.0221 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1} \\ e &= 1.6021 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C} & k &= 1.3807 \times 10^{-23} \text{ J K}^{-1} \\ m_e &= 9.1091 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg} & e_0 &= 8.8542 \times 10^{-12} \text{ F m}^{-1} \\ h &= 6.62608 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J s} & \mu_0 &= 4\pi \times 10^{-7} \text{ H m}^{-1} \\ \hbar &= h/(2\pi) = 1.05459 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J s} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Gas constant, } R &= N_A k = 8.3144 \text{ J K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1} = 0.083144 \text{ L bar K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1} \\ \text{Mass of proton} &= 1.67495 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Mass of hydrogen atom} = 1.6736 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$$

$$\text{Acceleration due to gravity (at } 45^\circ \text{ latitude), } g \rightarrow 9.81 \text{ m s}^{-2}$$

**UNITS**

SI UNITS		
Length	meter	m
Mass	kilogram	kg
Time	second	s
Electric current	ampere	A
Temperature	kelvin	K
<b>DERIVED SI UNITS</b>		
Electric charge	coulomb	C = A s
Electrical resistance	ohm	$\Omega = V/A = \text{kg m}^2 \text{ A}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-3}$
Electrical conductance	siemens	$S = 1/\Omega$
Electrical capacitance	farad	$F = \text{A s V}^{-1} = \text{A}^2 \text{ s}^4 \text{ kg}^{-1} \text{ m}^{-2}$
Electrical inductance	henry	$H = \text{V s A}^{-1} = \text{kg m}^2 \text{ s}^{-1} \text{ A}^{-2}$
Energy	joule	$J = \text{kg m}^2 \text{ s}^{-2} = \text{N m}$
Force	newton	$N = \text{kg m s}^{-2}$
Magnetic flux	weber	$Wb = \text{V s} = \text{kg m}^2 \text{ A}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-2}$
Magnetic flux density	tesla	$T = Wb \text{ m}^{-2} = \text{V s m}^{-2} = \text{kg A}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-2}$
Pressure	pascal	$P = \text{N m}^{-2}$
Power	watt	$W = \text{J s}^{-1} = \text{kg m}^2 \text{ s}^{-3}$
Electric potential difference	volt	$V = \text{N m C}^{-1} = \text{kg m}^2 \text{ s}^{-3} \text{ A}^{-1}$
Frequency	hertz	$\text{Hz} = \text{s}^{-1}$

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Final Examination  
Part B

Instructor: S.O. Kasap  
 Time allowed: Part B is normally 1½ hour.  
 Total time allowed: 3 hours for Parts A and B.

*Instructions:* Open book examination. Only the course textbook and one three-ring binder containing course notes and handouts are allowed. Calculators are allowed.

*Answer any 3 questions from 4 questions.* If you answer more than 3 questions, only the first three will be marked. All questions carry equal marks. Marks for a part-question depend on the difficulty of the question. All answers must be given in conventional units. State clearly all assumptions made in your derivations. Method of solution must be clearly shown. Numerical mistakes, incorrect, unconventional or missing units will be heavily penalized. Mention the source of materials data used.

*Important:* You must hand in Part A before you can start Part B. Write your answers in the university answer book.

*Note:* You may spend more or less time on Part B; but the total exam time is 3 hours.

- [17] 1. An  $n$ -type Si sample has been doped with  $5 \times 10^{15}$  phosphorus (P) atoms  $\text{cm}^{-3}$ . The donor energy level for P in Si is 0.045 eV below the conduction band edge energy  $E_c$ .
- Calculate the room temperature conductivity of the sample.
  - Where is the Fermi level with respect to the intrinsic sample?
  - Determine the temperature above which the sample behaves as if intrinsic. Where is the Fermi level at this temperature?
  - Determine the lowest temperature ( $^{\circ}\text{C}$ ) above which nearly all the donors are ionized. Where is the Fermi level at this temperature?
  - What is the useful temperature range for a  $\mu\text{m}$  junction device such as a diode that uses this  $n$ -type semiconductor?
  - Calculate the necessary minimum acceptor doping (i.e.  $N_A$ ) that is required to make this sample  $p$ -type with approximately the same conductivity.
- [17] 2. Consider a long  $p\text{-}n$  junction diode with an acceptor doping,  $N_A$ , of  $10^{18} \text{ cm}^{-3}$  on the  $p$ -side and donor concentration of  $N_D$  on the  $n$ -side. The diode is forward biased and has a voltage of 0.6 V across it. The diode cross-sectional area is  $1 \text{ mm}^2$ . The minority carrier recombination time,  $\tau$ , depends on the dopant concentration,  $N_{\text{dopant}}$  ( $\text{cm}^{-3}$ ), through the following approximate relation

$$\tau = \frac{1}{(1 + 2 \times 10^{-11} N_{\text{dopant}})}$$

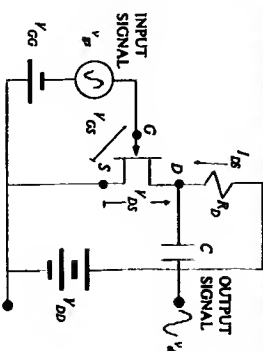
- Suppose that  $N_D = 10^{18} \text{ cm}^{-3}$ . Then the depletion layer extends essentially into the  $n$ -side and we have to consider minority carrier recombination time,  $\tau_p$ , in this region. Calculate the diffusion and recombination contributions to the total diode current. What is your conclusion?
- Suppose that  $N_D = N_A = 10^{18} \text{ cm}^{-3}$ . Then  $W$  extends equally to both sides and, further,  $\tau_p = \tau_n$ . Calculate the diffusion and recombination contributions to the diode current. What is your conclusion?

- [17] 3. Consider an idealized  $pnp$  bipolar transistor with the properties listed below in the table. Assume that the base region has a relatively uniform doping. The emitter and collector donor concentrations are mean values. The cross sectional area is  $0.0001 \text{ cm}^2$  ( $100 \mu\text{m} \times 100 \mu\text{m}$ ). The transistor is biased to operate in the normal active mode. The collector current is  $1 \text{ mA}$ . The base-collector voltage is  $12 \text{ V}$

Properties of an $pnp$ bipolar transistor				
Emitter width	Emitter doping	Electron lifetime in emitter	Base width	Base doping
$10 \mu\text{m}$	$1 \times 10^{18} \text{ cm}^{-3}$	$10 \text{ ns}$	$4 \mu\text{m}$	$5 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3}$
				Hole lifetime in base
				$300 \text{ ns}$
				Collector doping
				$5 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3}$

- Calculate the depletion layer width extending from the collector into the base and from the emitter into the base. What is the width,  $W_p$ , of the neutral base region?
  - Calculate  $\alpha$  and hence  $\beta$  for this transistor assuming that the emitter injection efficiency  $\gamma$  is unity. Comment on how these should depend on  $V_{BE}$ .
  - What is the emitter injection efficiency  $\gamma$ ?
  - What are  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  taking into account the emitter injection efficiency?
  - What are the emitter and base currents?
  - What is the emitter-base voltage?
  - What are  $I_E$  and  $C_{je}$  if this transistor were connected in the CE (common emitter) configuration with the same collector current and the same voltage across the BC junction?
- NOTE:* Assume that the emitter current is due to minority carrier diffusion and not recombination in the depletion region.

- [17] 4. Consider an  $n$ -channel JFET which has a pinch-off voltage ( $V_p$ ) of  $3 \text{ V}$  and an  $I_{DSS} = 30 \text{ mA}$ . It is used in a common source configuration in which the gate to source bias voltage is  $V_{GS}$  and the battery voltage is  $V_{DD}$ .
- Suppose that a small signal voltage gain of  $-20$  is needed and you have to keep  $V_{GS} = \frac{1}{2} V_{DD}$ . Given that you only have  $V_{DD} = 30 \text{ V}$ , what should be the bias gate-source voltage  $V_{GS}$ , the drain resistance  $R_D$ , and the drain current  $I_D$ ?
  - If an ac signal of  $3 \text{ V}$  peak-to-peak is applied to the gate in series with the dc bias voltage, what will be the ac output voltage peak-to-peak? What is the voltage gain for positive and negative input signals? Sketch the input and output signal waveforms and mark the various voltage levels?
  - What would be the input current and hence the input impedance of the JFET?



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Midterm Examination  
Part A (Closed Book)

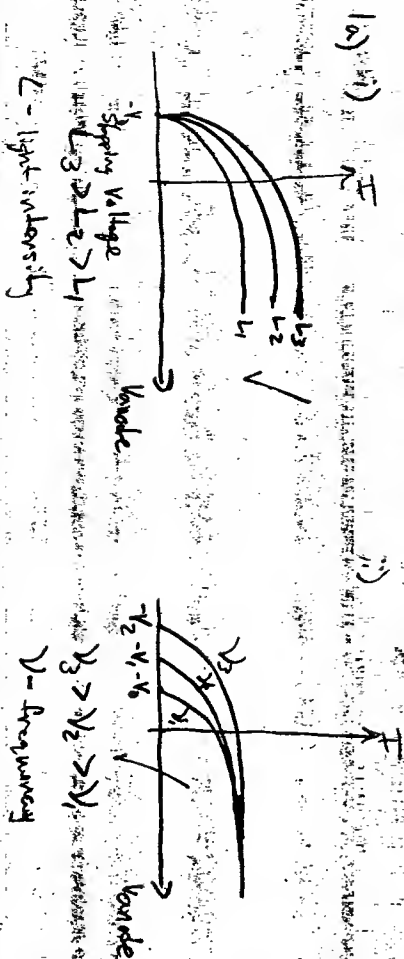
October 24, 2000

Instructor: S.O. Kasap  
Time allowed: Part A is 1 hour.

Note: Closed book examination. No calculators are allowed for this part. Answer any 2 questions from 4 questions. All questions carry equal marks. Marks for part-questions are shown in [ ] in the left hand margin. All answers must be given in conventional units. All sketches must be clearly labeled and self-explanatory. Diagrams that are not properly and clearly labeled and are subject to ambiguity will be heavily penalized. State clearly all assumptions made in your derivations. Unless otherwise stated all % are in weight % (%). Write your answers in this question book. You can use both sides of the paper for your answers.

Note: You must hand in this exam question book (Part A) before you can start on Part B.

- [10] 1. Consider the photoelectric experiment.
  - (a) Sketch the current-voltage characteristics for both negative and positive anode voltages when the photocathode is:
    - (i) illuminated with the same frequency but different intensity light.
    - (ii) illuminated with the same intensity but different frequency light.
  - (b) How is the maximum kinetic energy of the photo-emitted electrons determined? Sketch the dependence of the maximum kinetic energy of the photoemitted electrons on the frequency of light for different cathode materials. How does the maximum kinetic energy depend on the intensity of light?
  - (c) What is the intensity of light? What is the conclusion from this experiment?



- 6) Know at Maximum K.E. that  $V_0$  the stopping voltage just explains the photoemitted current. Thus the P.E. gain is  $K.E. \propto V_0$



$KE = h\nu - \phi$

KE does not depend on light intensity. It depends on frequency of incident light.

Intensity of light is directly proportional to the number of photons striking a unit area, per unit time. KE is proportional to Planck's constant.

$KE = h\nu - \phi$

$h\nu$  is photon energy

$\phi$  is work function

Conclusions of photoelectric experiment

1. KE does not depend on L
2. KE depend on frequency
3.  $V_0$  is property of material.

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[7] 2. (a) Explain briefly the significance of the quantum numbers  $n$ ,  $l$ ,  $m_l$ ,  $m_s$ . What are the allowed values of  $n$ ,  $l$ ,  $m_l$ ,  $m_s$ ? Show the ordering of the energy levels for an electron in a many-electron atom from  $n = 1$  to  $n = 4$  level (including  $n = 4$ ).

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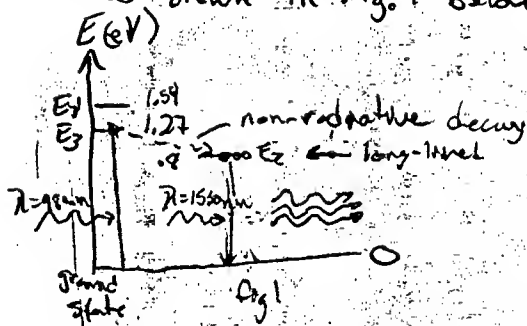


- 25] 4. Explain with clear diagrams the basic principle of operation of the  $\text{Er}^{3+}$  ion doped fiber amplifier. Sketch schematically how this may be used in optical communications.

The  $\text{Er}^{3+}$  doped fiber amplifier (EDFA) is based on

the principle of Stimulated emission. For stimulated emission to occur, population inversion is needed. Population inversion is a greater number of  $e^-$  at an energy level higher than ground state, then  $e^-$  at ground state,  $N_2 > N_1$ . Population inversion is created by a pumping mechanism. In the case of EDFA photons of wavelength 980nm optical excite the  $e^-$  to an energy of 1.27 eV and 1.54 eV called  $E_3$  and  $E_2$ , respectively.

These excited  $e^-$  are then decayed without radiative emissions to  $E_2$ . This is where stimulated emission occurs. A photon of  $\lambda = 1550\text{nm}$ , which has an energy  $E_2 - E_1$ , influences the  $e^-$  at the  $E_2$  to fall to  $E_1$ , and emitting photons of same wavelength, direction, and in phase with original photon as shown in Fig. 1 below.



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This can be used in optical communications using the follow diagram.

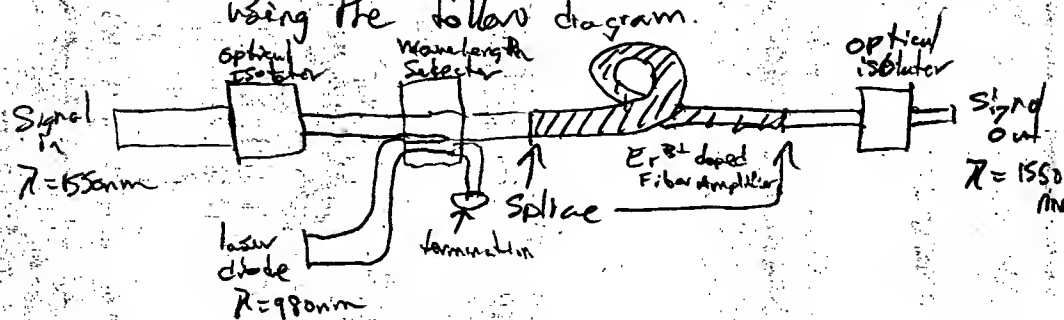


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October 24, 2000

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- [12] 1. a In a photoelectric experiment, it is found that an infrared (IR) radiation of wavelength 8400 Å is the longest wavelength radiation which can cause photoemission of electrons from a photocathode made of Sb-K-Na-Cs. If a blue radiation of wavelength 4500 Å is incident onto this photocathode, what will be the kinetic energy of the photoemitted electrons in electron volts? What is the voltage required on the anode to extinguish the photocurrent?
- b Suppose that the blue light of wavelength 4500 Å has an intensity of 10 mW/cm<sup>2</sup>. Suppose that the photocathode is a disk of diameter 3 mm. Suppose that the incident radiation illuminates the whole photocathode and a large positive voltage is applied to the anode to collect all the photoemitted electrons. Suppose that the quantum efficiency ( $\eta$ ) of the photocathode is 20%. What is the photoelectric current? *Quantum efficiency = (Number of electrons emitted)/(Number of photons absorbed)*

[Reminder: 1 Å = 10<sup>-10</sup> m]

- [9] 2. a A projectile electron with a velocity  $2.5 \times 10^6$  m s<sup>-1</sup> collides with a hydrogen atom in a gas discharge tube. Find to which  $n$ -th energy level the electron in the hydrogen atom gets excited to and the Bohr radius of the excited electron.
- b Calculate the possible wavelengths of radiation (in Å) that will be emitted from the excited H-atom in the above example as the electron returns to its ground state. *[Reminder: 1 Å = 10<sup>-10</sup> m]*
- [9] c In a gas discharge tube, He<sup>+</sup> ions are to be further ionized to He<sup>2+</sup> via impact ionization with electrons accelerated by an applied voltage. Calculate the minimum theoretical voltage required to achieve the ionization.
3. A particular He-Ne laser operating at 632.8 nm has a tube that is 60 cm long. The operating temperature is 127 °C.
- a Estimate the Doppler broadened linewidth ( $\Delta\lambda$ ) in the output spectrum.
- b What are the mode number  $m$  values that satisfy the resonant cavity condition? How many modes are therefore allowed?
- c What is the separation  $\Delta\nu_m$  in the frequencies of the modes? What is the mode separation  $\Delta\lambda_m$  in wavelength.

- [7] d Show that if during operation, the temperature changes the length of the cavity by  $\delta L$ , the wavelength of a given mode changes by  $\delta\lambda_m$ .

$$\delta\lambda_m = \frac{\lambda_m}{L} \delta L$$

Given that typically a glass has a linear expansion coefficient  $\alpha \approx 10^{-5}$  K<sup>-1</sup>, calculate the change  $\delta\lambda_m$  in the output wavelength (due to one particular mode) as the tube warms up from 20 °C to 125 °C, and also per degree change in the operating temperature. Note that  $\delta L/L = \alpha \delta T$ , and  $L' = L[1 + \alpha(T' - T)]$ . Change in mode wavelength  $\delta\lambda_m$  with the change  $\delta L$  in the cavity length  $L$  is called *mode sweeping*.

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ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING EE317.3

Midterm Examination  
Part A (Closed Book)

Instructor: S.O. Kasap  
Time allowed: Part A is 1 hour.

October 30, 1998

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- [10] 1. Consider the photoelectric experiment.
- (a) Sketch the current-voltage characteristics for both negative and positive anode voltages when the photocathode is
- (i) illuminated with the same frequency but different intensity light,
  - (ii) illuminated with the same intensity but different frequency light.
- [10] (b) How is the maximum kinetic energy of the photo-emitted electrons determined? Sketch the dependence of the maximum kinetic energy of the photoemitted electrons on the frequency of light for different cathode materials. How does the maximum kinetic energy depend on the intensity of light? *KE does not depend on light intensity*
- [5] (c) What is the intensity of light? What is the conclusion from this experiment?

- [7] 2. (a) Explain briefly the *significance* of the quantum numbers  $n$ ,  $\ell$ ,  $m_\ell$ ,  $m_s$ . What are the allowed values of  $n$ ,  $\ell$ ,  $m_\ell$ ,  $m_s$ ? Show the ordering of the energy levels for an electron in a many-electron atom from  $n = 1$  to  $n = 4$  level (including  $n = 4$ ).  
*Note:* 4s is above 3p and below 3d; but 4p is above 3d.
- [4] (b) State the Pauli Exclusion Principle and Hund's rule. *3p<sup>3</sup>, 5s<sup>5</sup>*
- [14] (c) Draw the energy diagrams for the electronic structure of
- (i) atomic silicon (atomic number 14) and
  - (ii) atomic nitrogen (atomic number 7).
- Ensure that your diagrams are clear and that each electron can be assigned its quantum numbers appropriately.
- [Note: You can use a box to represent an orbital wavefunction,  $\psi_{n,\ell,m_\ell}$ . Relative energies of the boxes must, however, be shown]

3. (a) Sketch the energy band diagram of a metal and identify the various significant features in your diagram.
- (b) Sketch the energy band diagram of a metal when a voltage difference is applied across it. How does conduction occur?
- (c) Sketch the energy band diagram of a semiconductor and identify the various significant features in your diagram.

4. Explain with clear diagrams the basic principle of operation of the  $\text{Er}^{3+}$  ion doped fiber amplifier. Sketch schematically how this may be used in optical communications.

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**Midterm Examination  
Part B (Open Book)**

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Time allowed: Part B is 1 hour

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- [1] From Hall effect measurements, the electron drift mobility in tin (Sn, valency IV) has been determined to be  $3.9 \text{ cm}^2\text{V}^{-1}\text{s}^{-1}$  at  $27^\circ\text{C}$ . Atomic weight and density of Sn are given as 118.7 and  $7.30 \text{ g cm}^{-3}$  respectively.
- [12] (a) Assuming that each Sn atom contributes 4 conduction electrons, calculate the resistivity of Sn at  $0^\circ\text{C}$ .
- [13] C. (b) Consider a thin tin bar of length  $L = 2 \text{ cm}$ , width  $W = 0.5 \text{ cm}$ , depth  $D = 1 \text{ mm}$ , carrying a current of  $5 \text{ mA}$  and placed in a magnetic field of flux density  $B = 0.2 \text{ T}$ . The current flows along the length  $L$  and the magnetic field is along depth  $D$ . The resulting Hall voltage is measured across the width  $W$ . What is the Hall voltage? Why is the voltage "small"?

- [2] 2. A multialkali metal is to be used as the photocathode material in a photoemissive electron tube. The work function of the metal is  $1.5 \text{ eV}$ . Suppose that blue light of wavelength  $450 \text{ nm}$  with an intensity of  $100 \text{ mW cm}^{-2}$  is incident on the photocathode.
- [13] (a) If the emitted electrons are collected by applying a positive bias to the anode, what will be the photoelectric current density assuming that the quantum efficiency ( $\eta$ ) is 20%.
- Note: Quantum efficiency is defined by*
- [4]  $\text{Quantum efficiency} = (\text{Number of electrons emitted}) / (\text{Number of photons absorbed})$
- [8] (b) What should be the voltage and its polarity to extinguish the current?
- (c) What should be the intensity of an incident red light beam of wavelength  $700 \text{ nm}$  that would give the same photocurrent, assuming that the quantum efficiency is the same.

- [6] 3. (a) Show that the wavelengths of radiation emitted (or absorbed) from a hydrogenic atom obey the equation (Balmer-Rydberg Formula):

$$\lambda^{-1} = R_\infty Z^2 \left( n_1^{-2} - n_2^{-2} \right) \quad (3.1)$$

- where  $R_\infty$  is the Rydberg constant and has the value  $1.097373 \times 10^7 \text{ m}^{-1}$ , and  $n_2$  and  $n_1$  are principal quantum numbers with  $n_2 > n_1$ .
- [10] (b) The light from the sun includes extremely sharp "dark lines" at certain wavelengths superimposed on a bright continuum at all other wavelengths as discovered by Josef von Fraunhofer in 1829. One of these "dark lines" occurs in the orange range and another in the blue. Fraunhofer measured their wavelengths to be  $6563 \text{ \AA}$  and  $4861 \text{ \AA}$ , respectively. With the aid of Table Q.3, show that these are spectral lines from the Hydrogen atom spectrum (they are called the  $H_\alpha$  and  $H_\beta$  Fraunhofer lines). Such lines provided us with the first clues to the chemical composition of the sun.
- [9] (c) Radio telescopic studies of B. Höglund and P.G. Mezger (*Science*, 150, 339, 1965) have detected a  $5009 \text{ MHz}$  electromagnetic radiation in space. Show that this radiation comes from excited hydrogen atoms as they undergo transitions from  $n = 110$  to  $109$ . What is the size of such an excited hydrogen atom (in nm)?

**Table Q.3**  
Hydrogen Atom Spectral Series and Rydberg Integers

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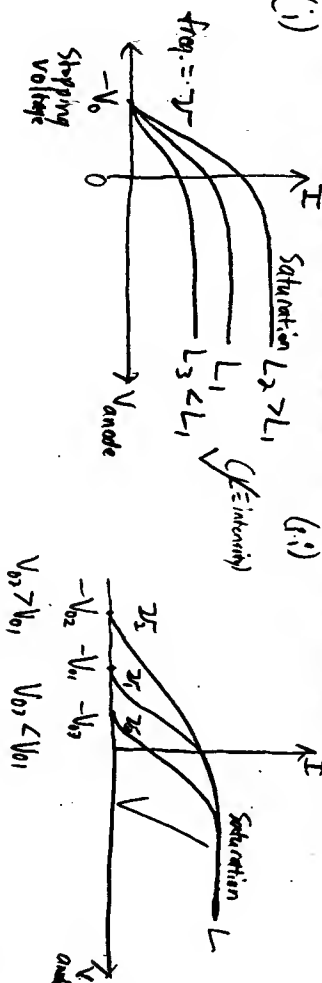
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(c) What is the intensity of light? What is the conclusion from this experiment?



(b) The max. KE ( $KE_m$ ) is determined by the frequency of incident light and the work function of the photocathode metal,  $KE_m = h\nu - \Phi$ , where  $\Phi$  is the work function (the energy required to remove the electron from the metal).

→ The max KE of photoemitted electrons is not dependent on light intensity. Only frequency affects  $KE_m$ .



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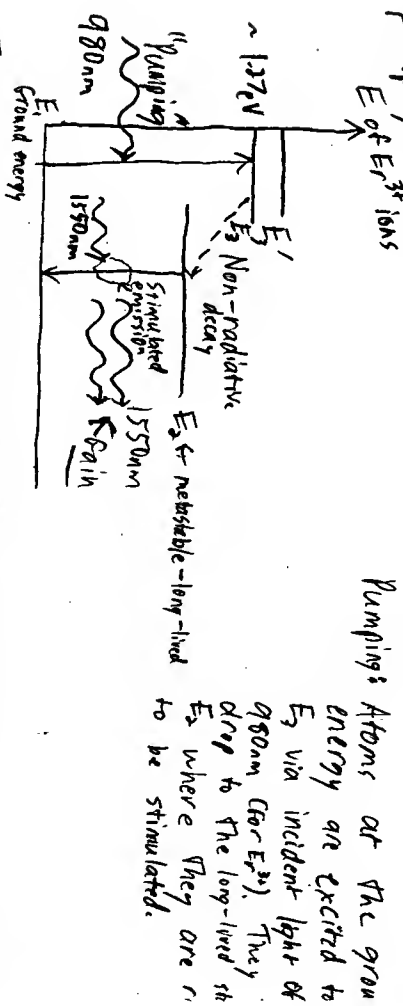
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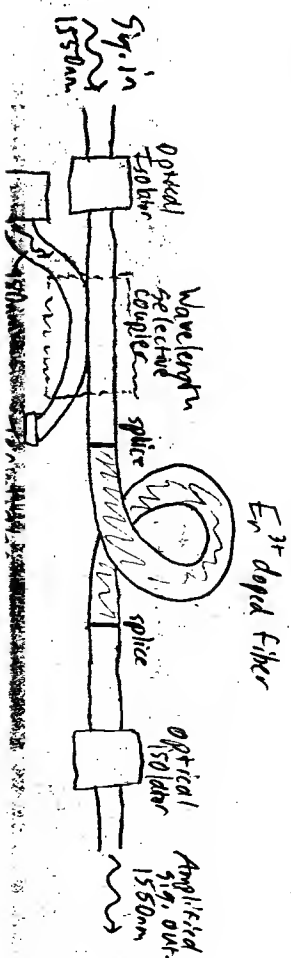
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The  $\text{Er}^{3+}$  doped fiber amplifier works via the principle of stimulated emission. This principle states that when an electron that is excited from energy  $E_1$  to  $E_2$  is influenced by a photon of energy  $E_2 - E_1$ , the electron will drop to  $E_1$  and emit a photon of energy  $E_2 - E_1$ . That is in phase with the stimulating photon. If more electrons (atoms) are at  $E_2$  than  $E_1$ , then stimulated emission will overcome photon absorption and amplification occurs. Having more atoms at  $E_2$  than  $E_1$  (population inversion) can be achieved via pumping:  
 $E$  of  $\text{Er}^{3+}$  ions



These principles can be applied practically to boost fiberoptic signals with the following setup:

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  - (14) (c) A multialkali metal (e.g. Sb-K-Na/Cs) metal is to be used as the photocathode material in a photoemissive electron tube. It is found that the longest wavelength radiation that gives photoemission is 420nm.
    - (i) If violet radiation of wavelength 390nm is incident on to this photocathode, what will be the kinetic energy of the photoemitted electrons in electron volts? What should be the voltage required on the opposite electrode to extinguish the external photocurrent?
    - (ii) Suppose that the violet light of wavelength 390nm has an intensity of 50 mW cm<sup>-2</sup>. If the emitted electrons are collected by applying a positive bias to the anode, what will be the photoelectric current density assuming that the quantum efficiency ( $\eta$ ) is 20%.
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3. A particular He-Ne laser operating at 632.8 nm has a tube that is 50 cm long. The operating temperature is 120 °C.
  - (a) Estimate the Doppler broadened linewidth ( $\Delta\lambda$ ) in the output spectrum.
  - (b) What are the mode number  $m$  values that satisfy the resonant cavity condition? How many modes are therefore allowed?
  - (7) (c) What is the separation  $\Delta\nu_m$  in the frequencies of the modes? What is the mode separation  $\Delta\lambda_m$  in wavelength.
  - (d) Show that if during operation, the temperature changes the length of the cavity by  $\Delta L$ , the wavelength of a given mode changes by  $\delta\lambda_m$ .

$$\delta\lambda_m = \frac{\lambda_m}{L} \Delta L$$

Given that typically a glass has a linear expansion coefficient  $\alpha \approx 10^{-6} \text{ K}^{-1}$ , calculate the change  $\delta\lambda_m$  in the output wavelength (due to one particular mode) as the tube warms up from 20 °C to 130 °C, and also per degree change in the operating temperature. Note that  $\delta L/L = \alpha \delta T$ , and  $L' \approx L[1 + \alpha(T' - T)]$ . Change in mode wavelength  $\delta\lambda_m$  with the change  $\Delta L$  in the cavity length  $L$  is called *mode sweeping*.



# PHYSICAL CONSTANTS AND USEFUL INFORMATION

$$c = 2.9979 \times 10^8 \text{ m s}^{-1}$$

$$e = 1.6021 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$$

$$m_p = 9.1091 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}$$

$$h = 6.62608 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J s}$$

$$\hbar = h/(2\pi) = 1.05459 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J s}$$

$$N_A = 6.0221 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}$$

$$k = 1.3807 \times 10^{-23} \text{ J K}^{-1}$$

$$\epsilon_0 = 8.8542 \times 10^{-12} \text{ F m}^{-1}$$

$$\mu_0 = 4\pi \times 10^{-7} \text{ H m}^{-1}$$

$$\text{Gas constant, } R = N_A k = 8.3144 \text{ J K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1} = 0.083144 \text{ L bar K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$$

$$\text{Mass of proton} = 1.67495 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$$

$$\text{Mass of hydrogen atom} = 1.6736 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$$

$$\text{Acceleration due to gravity (at } 45^\circ \text{ latitude), } g = 9.81 \text{ m s}^{-2}$$

## UNITS

SI UNITS	
Length	meter
Mass	kilogram
Time	second
Electric current	ampere
Temperature	kelvin

## DERIVED SI UNITS

Electric charge	coulomb	$C = A s$
Electrical resistance	ohm	$\Omega = V/A = \text{kg m}^2 \text{ A}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-2}$
Electrical conductance	siemen	$S = 1/\Omega$
Electrical capacitance	farad	$F = A s V^{-1} = A^2 s^4 \text{ kg}^{-1} \text{ m}^{-2}$
Electrical inductance	henry	$H = V s A^{-1} = \text{kg m}^2 \text{ s}^{-1} \text{ A}^{-2}$
Energy	joule	$J = \text{kg m}^2 \text{ s}^{-2} = N m$
Force	newton	$N = \text{kg m s}^{-2}$
Magnetic flux	weber	$Wb = V s = \text{kg m}^2 \text{ A}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-2}$
Magnetic flux density	tesla	$T = Wb \text{ m}^{-2} = V s \text{ m}^{-2} = \text{kg A}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-2}$
Pressure	pascal	$P = N \text{ m}^{-2}$
Power	watt	$W = J \text{ s}^{-1} = \text{kg m}^2 \text{ s}^{-3}$
Electric potential difference	volt	$V = N m C^{-1} = \text{kg m}^2 \text{ s}^{-3} \text{ A}^{-1}$
Frequency	hertz	$\text{Hz} = \text{s}^{-1}$

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## ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING EE317.3

### Final Midterm Examination Part B

December 20, 1999

Instructor: S.O. Kasap  
Time allowed: Part B is nominally 1 1/2 hour.  
Total time allowed: 3 hours for Parts A and B.

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- [7] 1 (a) Consider the metals in Table Q1 from groups I, II and III in the Periodic Table. Calculate the Fermi energies at absolute zero and at room temperature (300 K), and compare the values with the experimental values. What is your conclusion?

Table Q1

Metal	Group	$M_p$ (g/mol)	Density ( $\text{g cm}^{-3}$ )	$E_F$ (eV) [Calculated]	$E_F$ (eV) [Experiment]
Cu	I	63.55	8.96	-	6.5
Zn	II	65.38	7.14	-	11.0
Al	III	27	2.70	-	11.8

- [10] (b) Aluminum is a Valency III metal with the Fermi energy  $E_F$  in Table Q1. Given its resistivity at room temperature (See Table in Textbook), the atomic concentration of aluminum (from its density) and the valency (III) find the mean free path and the drift mobility of conduction electrons. State your assumptions in your derivations and calculations.

- [2] 2. An  $n$ -type Si sample has been doped with  $10^{14}$  arsenic (P) atoms  $\text{cm}^{-3}$ . The donor energy level for P in Si is 0.045 eV below the conduction band edge energy.
- [3] (a) Calculate the room temperature conductivity of the sample.
- [4] (b) Estimate the temperature above which the sample behaves as if intrinsic.
- [2] (c) Estimate the lowest temperature ( $^{\circ}\text{C}$ ) above which nearly all (most) of the donors are ionized.
- [6] (d) What is the useful temperature range for a Hall effect device that uses this  $n$ -type semiconductor to measure a magnetic field; calibration should not change with the temperature.
- (e) Calculate the necessary acceptor doping that is required to make this sample  $p$ -type with approximately the same conductivity. *Note:* You may have to use interpolation.

- [7] 3. (a) GaAs has an effective density of states at the conduction band (CB)  $N_c$  of  $4.7 \times 10^{19} \text{ cm}^{-3}$  and an effective density of states at the valence band (VB) edge  $N_v$  of  $7 \times 10^{18} \text{ cm}^{-3}$ . Given its bandgap  $E_g$  of 1.42 eV, calculate the intrinsic concentration and the intrinsic resistivity at room temperature (take as 300 K). Where is the Fermi level? Assuming that  $N_c$  and  $N_v$  scale as  $T^{3/2}$ , what would be the intrinsic concentration at 100 °C? If this GaAs crystal is doped with  $10^{18}$  donors  $\text{cm}^{-3}$  (such as Te), where is the new Fermi level and what is the resistivity of the sample? The drift mobilities in GaAs are shown in Table Q.3.

**Table Q.3:** Dopant impurities scatter carriers and reduce the drift mobility ( $\mu_d$  for electrons and  $\mu_h$  for holes).

Dopant concentration ( $\text{cm}^{-3}$ )	0	$10^{15}$	$10^{16}$	$10^{17}$	$10^{18}$
$\mu_n$ ( $\text{cm}^2 \text{ V}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}$ )	8500	8000	7000	5000	2400
$\mu_p$ ( $\text{cm}^2 \text{ V}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}$ )	400	380	310	250	160

- [10] (b) State your assumptions in the following calculations:  
 (i) Calculate the thermal velocity of the conduction band electrons in GaAs (relevant effective mass is that for transport). Is this greater or smaller than the mean speed of the conduction electrons in a metal? Why is there such a big difference?  
 (ii) Calculate the mean free time and mean free path between electron scattering events (between electrons and lattice vibrations).  
 (iii) Calculate the drift velocity of the CB electrons in an applied field  $E$  of  $10^5 \text{ V m}^{-1}$ . What is the ratio of thermal velocity to drift velocity? What is your conclusion?

4. Consider a long  $p^+n$  junction diode with an acceptor doping  $N_a$  of  $10^{18} \text{ cm}^{-3}$  on the  $p$ -side and donor concentration of  $N_d$  on the  $n$ -side. The diode is forward biased and has a voltage of 0.6 V across it. The diode cross-sectional area is  $1 \text{ mm}^2$ . The minority carrier recombination time,  $\tau_r$ , depends on the dopant concentration,  $N_{\text{dopant}}$  ( $\text{cm}^{-3}$ ), through the following approximate relation

$$\tau_r = \frac{5 \times 10^{-7}}{(1 + 2 \times 10^{-17} N_{\text{dopant}})}$$

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 (b) Suppose that  $N_d = N_a$ . Then  $W$  extends equally to both sides and, further,  $\tau_n = \tau_p$ . Calculate the diffusion and recombination contributions to the diode current given that when  $N_d = 10^{18} \text{ cm}^{-3}$ ,  $\mu_n \approx 250 \text{ cm}^2 \text{ V}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}$ , and when  $N_d = 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3}$ ,  $\mu_n \approx 130 \text{ cm}^2 \text{ V}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}$ . What is your conclusion? State all your assumptions.

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Electrical conductance	siemen
Electrical capacitance	farad
Electrical inductance	henry
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Force	newton
Magnetic flux	weber
Magnetic flux density	tesla
Pressure	pascal
Power	watt
Electric potential difference	volt
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	$\text{Hz} = \text{s}^{-1}$

## SOME CONVERSION FACTORS

ENERGY	
1 kJ $\text{mole}^{-1} = 0.2389 \text{ kcal mol}^{-1} = 0.010363 \text{ eV atom}^{-1}$	
1 kcal $\text{mole}^{-1} = 4.1840 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1} = 0.043360 \text{ eV atom}^{-1}$	
1 eV $\text{atom}^{-1} = 96.490 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1} = 23.062 \text{ kcal mol}^{-1}$	
1 ft lb = 1.356 J	1 BTU = 1055 J
1 erg = $10^{-7} \text{ J}$	1 kWh = $3.600 \times 10^6 \text{ J}$

How strong is the electron-electron repulsion energy?

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Bohr radius $a_0 = 52.918 \text{ pm}$	
Mass of proton $= 1.67495 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$	
Mass of hydrogen atom $= 1.66 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$	
Franck-Wiedemann-Lorentz coefficient $= 2.32 \times 10^{-6} \text{ W.O.K}^{-2}$	
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## MATERIALS DATA

Table of Nordheim Coefficient (at 20°C) for Dilute Alloys

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Au in Cu matrix	5500	100
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Mn in Au matrix	2410	25
Ni in Au matrix	790	100
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